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The new enterprise will meet with an open field at the beginning of next month as at that time the city Water & Light department will discontinue handling electrical supplies and fixtures or do house wiring.

### COMING EVENTS AT DALY'S THEATRE

Friday, March 28.

The Wolf, a first class Co., and complete production. Sure to please you. Prices 25, 35, 50, and 75 cents, all reserved.

Saturday and Sunday.

Our regular picture program shows the big 5 reel feature, Bunyon's Progress, the greatest religious story ever written. Do not miss this wonderful picture. Admission 10c and 5 cents.

Monday and Tuesday.

The Georgia Merry Makers, singers, dancers and comedians, a real fun show. Two big shows each night, 7:15 and 9:00 P. M. Prices 10, 15 and 20 cents.

Helio-Cortiveau.

Miss Helwig Hen of St. Francis, Wis., and Joe A. Cortiveau of this city are to be married at St. Patrick's Catholic church in Green Bay on March 31st at 6 o'clock A. M. They will make their home in Green Bay.

The groom is well known in this city, where he was born and reared, and has many friends here who wish him a happy journey thru life. The Tribune extends congratulations.

Will Stand Trial.

Mrs. Patzer, who was to appear before the circuit court in this city and plead guilty to the charge of manslaughter for killing her husband, changed her mind and has decided to stand trial, having engaged an attorney.

Vernon O. Stuckler, a lecturer on Christian Science, gave a talk at Daly's Theatre on Tuesday evening, at which there was a fairly good crowd. Those who heard Mr. Stuckler report that he is a good talker and well worth hearing.

### LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The editor of the Tribune is not in anyway responsible for the expressions contained in letters contributed by the residents of this section, but is always glad to publish the ideas of other people on any subject that is of public interest.

### OUR WATER WORKS.

According to a statement in the last issue of the Grand Rapids Tribune, under the signature of City Engineer, it appears that the city loses about one and one-third cents per 1000 gallons on all water they pump, and this does not include loss by depreciation. The city can, and does, pump the water for less than three cents for power only. What, in heavens name, does the city want with the Diesel engine, if the water can be pumped at that figure? Again, what in heavens name, does the city want with the Electric Co., if that corporation can furnish current to consumers at the price now charged.

The city council seem to think that as long as they can spend money, all of which has to be borrowed, belonging to others, they are going to do it. Referring to the water question:

I recommend that all users of water be put on a meter; that means everybody who uses water of the Water Works Co. I recommend that the Water Works Co. report every day to a daily paper and have it published whether the spring water is being pumped into the mains or whether the river water. In case of river water, every user thereof will please boil the water, as otherwise it is not fit of safe to drink, and may cause stomach troubles, especially in children.

It is important that the Water Works Co. furnish us this information daily.

The city engineer in his statement of the cost and expenses of pumping water calls the water "Juice". You are right, Mr. Engineer. It is "Juice" truly when pumped from the river, but I venture to say that you did not know how nasty it was, until you saw the report of the analysis.

As to the future supply of good water and plenty of it, I do not think it much use spending money trying to get water out of wells, although that water is good, there is not enough of it.

As to boring for water that would be useless as the rock under the surface soil is granite, and granite is not a water bearing rock.

F. MacKinnon

### A Suggestion.

In order to have pure water for domestic purposes, let the city put in a six inch pipe from Consolidated mill to the three depots and on to Ellis saw mill. It can be laid along or on top of the main now in at little cost before Grand Avenue is macadamized any further. The river water is good enough to float logs in and if the city will extend the intake forty or fifty feet the stretch will not be so great but what it can be used by locomotives and by all means put in meters for every user, then we will all have plenty of spring water.

Geo. B. McMillan.

### "MORE LIGHT."

"Come again Engineer, the people want more light," is the leading article by an unknown contributor to the Daily Reporter of March 20th.

You never were nearer the truth (Mr. X.), the people do want more light and if I am not mistaken in the signs they are going to get it. "The whole lighting plant" including its Board of Directors, Manager, and employees, and then we will all be working together, in harmony, as one Grand Municipal Plant. Then the people in the outskirts will get more light for the same money they are now paying for that service.

The article published in the Grand Rapids Tribune (Mr. X.) was not intended to be a literary production, but it was intended to be funny, but was intended as an honest statement of facts and published for the benefit of the people.

Are you, (Mr. X.) qualified as a "Literary Critic," or do you just imagine yourself to be?

You criticize the use of the word "Juice" in the statement published. This word (Mr. X.), and this information is also given free of charge, is frequently used by electricians in referring to electric current, it is a bit slangy but in no way vulgar. The phrase "Rotten in fact" is frequently used to express one's disgust, and the word rotten is used by some of the foremost writers of the day (See Collier's, the March issue, in article by McFarlane).

As to the use of the word "had" I continue that in this instance it was properly used because the city council had the right to instruct the proper officers to charge on their books, "Hydrant Rental" and had it done so the records would show a profit of about \$7000 in place of a deficit.

Now to use the word "if" if the Electric & Water Co. had not fought, with all the might and powers behind a large number of stockholders, the installing of a Municipal Power Plant, this question of taking over the Electric & Water Co. would not now be before the people, and "if" a power plant had been installed the usual saving in power would have been sufficient to overcome this apparent deficit and the city would be furnishing water to its patrons at actual cost, under the present schedule of rates.

Your flow of language may be more brilliant "Mr. X." and your knowledge of the proper use of English and Latin words may be greater than mine, but as a writer of a "column and one-half" of rot and nonsense you sure do excel. E. Philcox.

### MARKET REPORT.

Patent Flour, \$5.20  
Rye Flour, 3.80  
Rye, 2.54  
Butter, 26-29  
Eggs, 18  
Sheet, like, 44-45  
Pork, dressed, 34-40  
Veal, 36-40  
Hay, Timothy, 10-12  
Potatoes, 10-12  
Hides, 10-12  
Hens, 8  
Oats, 80

Frank Youngman, who is a student at the University was in the city over Sunday, a guest at the E. B. Redford home.

### WIND DOES MUCH DAMAGE

Storm Sweeps Over City and Causes Many Minor Losses About Town.

A heavy windstorm of the proportions of a cyclone struck this city Sunday evening about 10:30 o'clock and did considerable damage in different places and gave the people an idea of what a real storm would be like. The heavy part of the blow lasted only a few minutes or the damage might have been much more than it was, as it certainly did blow for a time. There was considerable rain fell and the lightning flashed, making all the appearance of a summer storm.

The smoke stack on the Ellis Lumber Company's plant was demolished by the storm, a section of the roof from the boiler house being torn off and hurled against the stack. This doubled up the stack and caused it to fall, and as it is six feet in diameter and one hundred feet long, it has been some job to get it back into position. The smoke stack on the Mackinnon plant was also blown down, as well as the one at the south side.

At the baseball park the grand stand was demolished and several sections of the fence blown down. One of the big plate glass windows in the Johnson and Hill Company's store was blown out and also one in the Mackinnon block occupied by T. P. Perenboom. The bill boards on the side of Guy Getts billiard hall were torn off and hurled across the street, and the big sign on top of the Witter House was doubled up and put out of commission.

The electric light service was a little uncertain for a time, the high wind causing numerous crosses and breakages in the wires. There were also a number of cases of trouble on the telephone lines, but both these companies got things fixed up pretty well the next day. Considering the velocity of the wind both of these concerns got out of it pretty lucky.

One of the chimneys on Geo. L. Williams' residence was blown down by the wind, and other residence property about the city was damaged to a slight extent.

Reports from the surrounding country are to the effect that numerous small buildings were damaged by the heavy wind, although the loss was not particularly large anywhere.

A tornado swept the city of Omaha the same evening where 152 were killed and 400 injured. Also a score or more were killed at Terre Haute, Ind., and it is estimated that 250 people were killed in the middle west by the storm.

### NEW BANK FIXTURES HERE.

Probable That Place Will be in Operation Next Week.

The fixtures for the New Citizens National Bank arrived in the city on Saturday and have been placed in position. The safe, which is one of the latest pattern burglar proof affairs, also arrived last week and has been placed in the vault.

The new fixtures are constructed of oak and while not elaborate in any way, present a very neat appearance, and it is evident that when the work is finished up things will look very nice there.

The indications are now that the bank will be ready for business next Monday.

### Federation Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Federation will be held at the residence of Mrs. A. L. Arpin, on Baker street, at 2:30 p. m. All members are urged to be present as the amendment to article IV Section I of the constitution is to be voted upon, namely:

The officers of this Federation shall be President, Vice Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer, all of whom shall be elected at the annual meeting by ballot.

Amended to read: The officers of this Federation shall be President, Vice Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer, all of whom shall be elected at the annual meeting by ballot, and shall hold office for a term of two years.

The reports of the chairman of each department, of their work throughout the year is always most instructive, and a large attendance is desired.

### Chauteauque Dates.

The dates for the Chauteauque Assembly which is to be given in Grand Rapids this summer, under the auspices of the Women's Federation, have been fixed for the third week in August, beginning August 18th to 24th inclusive.

### Death of Leslie Boorman.

Francis Leslie Boorman, third son of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Boorman, died at his home in this city on Friday, March 21st, cause of death being typhoid fever. Leslie was taken sick with the grip about three weeks ago, which later developed into typhoid fever. He was 18 years, 5 months and 23 days old at the time of his death. Deceased had lived in this city all his life and was a graduate of the Lincoln school in the class of 1911. He was a member of the Congregational church and a young man of exemplary habits. For some time past he had been working at the Ellis Lumber Company's plant, intending later to attend the University.

The funeral occurred Monday afternoon from the home, Rev. H. B. Johnson conducting the services, interment being in Forest Hill cemetery.

### Parental Association.

A meeting of the Parental Association will occur at the Lincoln school on Friday evening of this week. A program has been arranged for the occasion, and music will be furnished by the high school orchestra.

### Received Too Late.

The Tribune is in receipt of a lengthy communication from Engineer Fred Pfeiffer on the subject of the Grand Rapids Water Works, which contains much valuable information, but which was received too late for publication this week. However, it will be run next week.

WANTED—Every boy in Grand Rapids to know that I, Zimmerman, will give a baseball mitt with each pair of boys shoes bought at his store on Friday and Saturday of this week.

A baseball mitt given with each pair of boys shoes sold at Zimmerman's store on Friday and Saturday of this week.—11

### ARE READY FOR BUSINESS

Elks Have Set the Dates for Their Minstrel as April Second and Third.

The Elks are rapidly rounding things into shape and will be better perfect when the date for their minstrel show comes, which will be on Wednesday and Thursday of next week April 2d and 3rd. On Wednesday the mammoth street parade occurs, when it is expected, should the weather permit, that there will be more excitement in town than that occasioned by a Tom show.

The following program has been arranged for the occasion:

PART I.  
Opening chorus by entire company.  
I'm Going to Take the First Train.  
My Girl Said..... Mr. F. B. Warner  
I'm Unlucky..... Mr. R. L. Nash  
That's Goin' Some Mr. Chas. Laramie  
Give Me Just a Little Smile.....  
I'm the Guy..... Mr. C. A. Normington  
That Old Girl of Mine Mr. John Robert  
Waiting for the Robert E. Lee.....  
Closing Chorus..... Entire Co.

### PART II.

Overture  
Address  
Claret Duet  
Dr. C. F. Bandelin, Mr. R. W. Morse  
Swede Character Sketch.....  
..... Mr. Gus. Brunson  
The Revised Raddison Orchestra  
Mr. Hugh B. Goggins,  
Mr. Louis Peyruse  
Mr. Herbert A. Saecker  
Mother Machree..... Mr. A. P. Mulroy  
Harry Lauder..... Impersonator  
L. E. Ransom..... Indian Sketch  
Mr. Gus Brunson and Company  
Ensemble

### AGAINST FOREST RESERVES.

Counties in Northern Wisconsin Do Not Like Re-forestation.

While the average dweller in Central and Southern Wisconsin has been of the opinion that this forest reserve business is a great proposition, it seems from some of our exchanges in the northern part of the state that the people up there do not look on the matter with a great deal of favor.

The following on the matter is taken from the Burnett County Journal, and shows what they think of the proposition: One of the money mad officials of Wisconsin is the state forester. The ubiquitous E. M. Griffith is always on hand at every opportunity asking for money, more money—for his pet forest reserve idea. Like many men, Griffith has mounted his hobby and is riding it at top notch speed to its death—I hope.

The state forester and the forestry board have prepared several bills to be placed before the legislature, one to create a million and a half acre forest reserve in Northern Wisconsin, another asking for a direct annual state tax of one-tenth of one mill on all the taxable property of the state for a period of twenty years, to be used in furthering and promoting the forest reserve idea.

Circular No. 327, prepared by the Wisconsin tax commission, is before me. This shows that for the year 1912 Burnett county has been assessed at \$6,121,274, for all taxable property. One-tenth of a mill tax means an annual outlay of more than \$612 per year by Burnett county for forestry purposes. More than this, there is now before the legislature a joint resolution, No. 11, S., which proposes that the direct tax for forestry purposes may be raised to two-tenths mill on all the state's taxable property. This amendment if approved by the voters would double the amount of \$612 per annum. For the whole state the same proportions would hold good, making the forestry appropriations a twenty year burden the figures of which would swell to astounding sums with the state's rapidly increasing taxable property, which, I think it is safe to say, will in 1933 be double what it is now.

Do the people of Wisconsin want this forestry reserve craze to be thus expanded and perpetuated?

Do the tax payers of Burnett county want to tax themselves to the limit of over a thousand dollars annually for a period of twenty years in order that one state forester may carry out an idea over which he dreams by night and by day?

Forest propagation within reason is not to be objected to. Within bounds it should be carried on. But a bright glint at the history of forestry legislation in Wisconsin will force the conclusion that appropriations for that purpose should stop—for some time to come.

### Will Open Law Office.

John Roberts, who has been associated with D. D. Conway in the law business in this city during the past couple of years, intends to open an office of his own on the first of April, and with this end in view has engaged rooms in the Wood County Bank building, where he will have his office.

### New Store Opens.

The new store of M. L. Giesburg, located on First Avenue North, is open for business with a nice line of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Men's Furnishings. You are invited to call and look over the new place. You can probably save some money if you need anything in our line, and if you do not just now, you will later on. It won't cost you a cent to see what we have to offer.

### Bank Opening Saturday.

The New Citizens National Bank will open for business on Saturday of this week and the people of Grand Rapids are invited to call and inspect the new place on that day.

It does not matter whether you have any business there or not, you are invited to call and look over the new institution. They will try to treat you right.

### Notice.

I will teach anyone the barber trade in a few weeks and put them to work at good wages. This is a bona fide offer. Write me, A. B. Moler, Pres., Moler System of Colleges, 330 4th St., Milwaukee, Wis.—21 pd.

—Subscribe for the Tribune. \$1.50.

### ORNAMENTAL STREET LIGHTS

Unightly Lamps and Poles Being Displaced with Decorative Lighting Standards.

In the good old days before the illuminating engineer was with us, the street was lighted by the bit-and-mim method. The poles were set up where most convenient and the lamps installed in the easiest way, regardless of how they looked, or how they effected the efficiency of the illumination. Many and many a street is made hideous by long rows of unightly poles, by drooping arc lamps hanging from a network of overhead wires, by strings of unightly incandescent lamps.

It was not until recently that this subject of ornamental street lighting was seriously considered. Then it was speedily demonstrated that a lighting system in any city or village could be made ornamental to the place in day-light hours as well as at night. Down come the unightly poles and the cobwebby wires. Ornamental standards classic of design and beautiful in appearance, were set up at regular intervals along the curb. The wires were all put underground, where they belong, and at once the street was transformed.

Two methods of street lighting are now in vogue and either one lends itself to a great variety of artistic effects. Where the incandescent system is used the new filament lamps are now used. With these lamps the light is softer and three times the illumination can be secured for the same cost of current as with the old lamps. Incandescent lamps are generally installed in clusters, rather than in strings of lamps. These clusters of three, five or even more, lamps are artistically grouped on a cast iron standard with the wiring all concealed within the pole and in conduits under the ground. The lamps are shaded with white alabaster or ground glass globes so there is no dazzling points of light and the illumination is evenly distributed about the street.

Many of the old installations of hanging arc lamps are even uglier than the incandescent ones. These old arc are usually suspended above the street on a tangle of wires and cables, where they glare and sputter the long night thru. But modern engineers and modern love of the beautiful, as well as the utility of a lighting system, have changed all this. The new systems of arc lighting is nothing like the old. The lamps are not hung above the street but crown the tops of ornamental standards placed alternately up and down the street. There are no hanging wires in sight, no sharp points of light to dazzle the eyes, no flicker and sputter. Instead of sharp protruding rays of bluish light the new luminous arc lamps give a flood of soft, white light which is many times more efficient and more economical than the light from the old lamps. The wire and cables are all underground where they are safe and do not mar the natural beauty of the street. Shade trees do not have to be cut down or trimmed until they die.

It is an interesting feature of ornamental lamp-post that they seem to be as popular and effective for use in private installations for hotels, clubs and department stores as in the lighting of parks and city streets. And the same principle applies to the large stores, the restaurant, or wherever prosperity depends on popular favor. A store, surrounded or fronted by a chain of ornamental posts, stands out pleasantly conspicuous among its surroundings and is seen in an atmosphere of cheerful radiance that is an irresistible attraction. When we walk down that street we walk on the bright side, and we are susceptible to such inviting influence.

In the lighting of parks and public buildings—the city hall, the library, the union station—the influence of display illumination is far reaching. The outlining of domes, towers and gables in electric lights, and artistic placement of ornamental posts, lend an evening atmosphere that appeals to all and becomes part of the pleasing identity of the institution.

Moreover, this holds no less true when applied to our dignified and ornate banks and churches. The softening, humanizing influence of the establishment of a bond with all the people. We are apt to think of ornamental street lighting as the gala attire of the busy downtown streets, and as a mighty ally of the merchant. But, can any system of street illumination be more appropriate for residence streets and the entrance driveways to private estates than the classic lamp post with its glowing balls or its hanging lanterns.

### GOOD TEMPLARS MEETING.

Annual Session of Hub District to be Held Here.

The annual session of Hub District No. 21, Independent Order of Good Templars will be held in this city on Friday and Saturday, March 28 and 29. The Grand Chief Templar, Mr. T. W. North will be here for the session. The election of officers and all annual business will be transacted. There will be delegates from other lodges in District. The first session will be called to order at 2 P. M., followed by one in the evening, and another one Saturday forenoon.

All members of social order are requested to be at hall at 1:30 for special session of local lodge before district session. These meetings will be held in Foresters Hall. Every member of this Order should come and help make this a good session.

### Morgan-Langer.

Miss Laura Morgan and Albert Langer were married at 9 o'clock Tuesday at the Catholic church in this city. Rev. Wm. Reding performing the ceremony that made them man and wife. They were accompanied by Miss Lois Morgan, sister of the bride, and August Langer, brother of the groom.

The young couple left the same evening on a short wedding tour, intending to visit in Milwaukee and Chicago, and upon their return will make their home in this city.

Both of these young people are well and favorably known here and have a host of friends to wish them a happy journey through life. The Tribune unites with these in extending congratulations.

HORSES FOR SALE—St. horses for sale by Giesburg, 111 4th Ave. N.

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Endorsed by the superintendents of schools in Milwaukee, Racine, Oshkosh, LaCrosse, Dodgeville, Grand Rapids, Watertown, Richland Center, etc.; and by Duncan McGregor, A. J. Schmitz, John Aylward, William Mitchell Lewis, Alfred T. Rogers, Joseph Davies, William George Bruce, Rev. E. G. Updike, Rev. Ambrose Murphy, John H. Commons, John Roemer, Harold Erickson, J. L. O'Connor, Zona Gale, and many others.

Election on Tuesday, April 1st.

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# Removal Sale of Shoes

1000 Pair of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes to be sold at Half Price or Less. We are going to move our shoes from their present location to the main floor. To make the moving easy we offer some exceptional bargains. Come and see what we have to offer. We can fit every foot.

Sale commences Thursday morning, March 27th, and continues until we move to main floor, which will be about one week.

<b>Men's \$2.00 Shoes for 98c</b>	
One lot of Men's Shoes, regular prices were \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00, removal sale price per pair.	<b>98c</b>
<b>Men's \$2.25 Shoes for \$1.45</b>	
One lot of Men's heavy work shoes, Kangaroo grain nailed and sewed, former prices \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25 removal sale price per pair.	<b>\$1.45</b>
<b>Women's \$3.50 Shoes for \$1.65</b>	
One lot of Women's shoes consisting of Gun Metal Button, Dongola Blucher and Patent Leather Button or Blucher also Vici Kid Blucher, our regular low prices are \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50, removal sale price	<b>\$1.65</b>

### A few Specials in Our Grocery Dep't during our Big Shoe Sale

Karo Syrup, during this sale the gallon.....	<b>34c</b>	Ginger Snaps, during this sale per pound.....	<b>5c</b>	Blizzard Flour, 100 lbs., during this sale only.....	<b>\$2.38</b>
Prunes, all you want, during this sale per pound.....	<b>5c</b>	Calumet Baking Powder, at this sale only.....	<b>19c</b>	Sugar, during this sale, 21 pounds for.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Oatmeal, during this sale, 10 pounds for.....	<b>25c</b>	10 bars best Soup, during this sale only.....	<b>31c</b>	Sugar, at this sale, 100 pounds for.....	<b>\$4.78</b>

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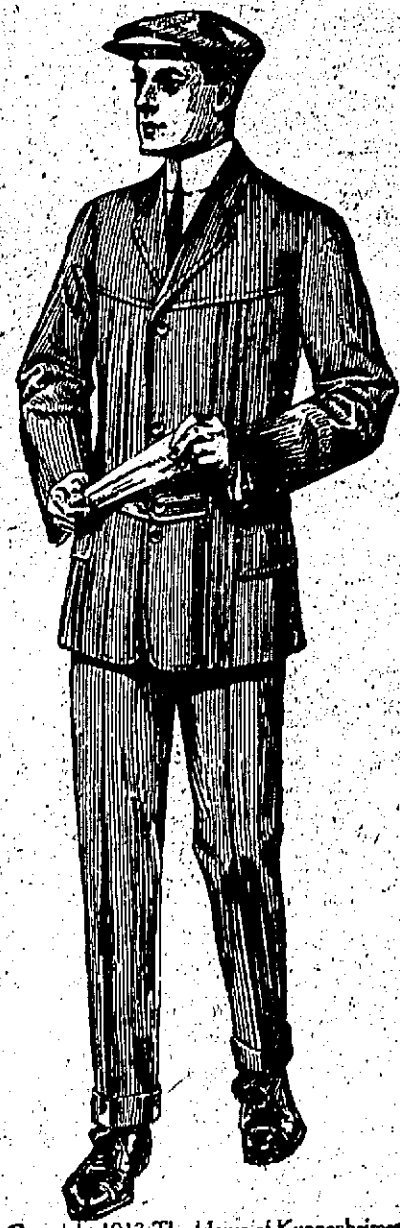
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The article published in the Grand Rapids Tribune, (Mr. X.) was not intended to be a literary product, neither was it intended to be funny, but was intended as an honest statement of facts and published for the benefit of the people.

Are you, (Mr. X.) qualified as a "Literary Critic" or do you just imagine yourself to be?

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The fixtures for the New Citizens National Bank arrived in the city on Saturday and have been placed in position. The safe, which is one of the latest pattern burglar proof affairs, also arrived last week and has been placed in its vault.

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The reports of the chairman of each department, of their work thru-out the year is always most instructive, and a large attendance is desired.

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The dates for the Chautauqua Assembly which is to be given in Grand Rapids this summer, under the auspices of the Women's Federation, have been fixed for the third week in August, beginning August 18th to 24th inclusive.

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Francis Leslie Boorman, third son of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Boorman, died at his home in this city on Friday, March 21st, cause of death being typhoid fever. Leslie was taken sick with the grip about three weeks ago, which later developed into typhoid fever. He was 18 years, 5 months and 23 days old at the time of his death.

Deceased had lived in this city all his life and was a graduate of the Lincoln School in the class of 1911. He was a member of the Congregational church and a young man of exemplary habits. For some time past he had been working at the Ellis Lumber Company's plant, intending later to attend the University.

The funeral occurred Monday afternoon from the home, Rev. H. B. Johnson conducting the services, interment being in Forest Hill cemetery.

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Elks Have Set the Dates for Their Minstrels as April Second and Third.

The Elks are rapidly rounding things into shape and will be better perfect when the date for their minstrel show comes, which will be on Wednesday and Thursday of next week, April 2d and 3d. On Wednesday the mammoth street parade occurs, which is expected, should the weather permit, that there will be more excitement in town than that occasioned by a Tom show.

The following program has been arranged for the occasion:

## PART I.

Opening chorus by entire company.  
I'm Going to take the First Train.  
My Gal Sal. . . . . Mr. F. B. Warner  
Mr. G. L. . . . . Mr. F. M. Schuabel  
Mr. H. . . . . Mr. R. L. Nash  
That's Goin' Some. Mr. Chas. Laramie  
Give Me Just a Little Smile. . . . . Mr. Herbert Roach  
I'm the Guy. . . . . Mr. C. A. Normington  
That Old Girl of Mine. Mr. John Robert  
Waiting for the Robert E. Lee. . . . . Mr. A. P. Mulroy  
Closing Chorus. . . . . Entire Co.

## PART II.

Overture  
Address  
Charlene Duet  
Dr. C. . . . . Mr. R. W. Morse  
Swede Character Sketch . . . . . Mr. G. S. Brunson  
The Revised Raddison Orchestra  
Mr. Hugh B. Goggins  
Mr. Louis Peyruse  
Mr. Herbert A. Sackler  
Mother Macree. . . . . Mr. A. P. Mulroy  
Harry Lauder. . . . . Impersonator  
L. B. Ransom. . . . . Indian Sketch  
Mr. G. S. Brunson and Company  
Ensemble

## AGAINST FOREST RESERVES.

Counties in Northern Wisconsin Do Not Like Reforestation.

While the average dweller in Central and Southern Wisconsin has been of the opinion that this forest reserve business is a good one, it seems from some of our exchanges in the northern part of the state that the people up there do not look on the matter with a great deal of favor. The following on the matter is taken from the Burnett County Journal, and shows what they think of the proposition:

One of the money mad officials of Wisconsin is the state forester. The ubiquitous E. M. Griffith is always on hand at every opportunity asking for money, money, money for his pet forest reserve idea. Like many men, Griffith has mounted his hobby and is riding it at top notch speed to its death—hope.

The state forester and the forestry board have prepared several bills to be placed before the legislature, one to create a million and a half acre forest reserve in Northern Wisconsin, another asking for a direct annual state tax of one-tenth of one mill on all the taxable property of the state for a period of twenty years, to be used in furthering and promoting the forest reserve idea.

Circular No. 327, prepared by the Wisconsin tax commission, is before me. This shows that for the year 1912 Burnett county has been assessed at \$6,121,474. For all taxable property. One-tenth of a mill tax means an annual outlay of more than \$612 per year by Burnett county for forestry purposes. More than this, there is now before the legislature a joint resolution, No. 11, S., which proposes that this direct tax for forestry purposes may be raised to two-tenths mill on all the state's taxable property. This amendment if approved by the voters would double this amount of \$612 per annum. For the whole state, the same proportions would hold good, making the forestry appropriations a twenty year burden of well to the figures of which would rapidly increasing sums with the state's rapidly increasing tax property, which, I think it is safe to say, will in 1933 be double what it is now.

Do the people of Wisconsin want this forestry reserve craze to be thus expanded and perpetuated? Do the tax payers of Burnett county want to tax themselves to the limit of over a thousand dollars annually for a period of twenty years in order that one state forester may carry out an idea over which he dreams by night and by day?

Forest propaganda within reason is not to be objected to. Within bounds it should be carried on. But a brief glance at the history of forestry legislation in Wisconsin will force the conclusion that appropriations for that purpose should stop—for some time to come.

## Will Open Law Office.

John Roberts, who has been associated with D. D. Conway in the law business in this city during the past couple of years, intends to open an office of his own on the first of April, and with this end in view has engaged rooms in the Wood County Bank building, where he will have his office.

During Mr. Roberts' residence in this city he has made many friends and there is no question but what he will get his share of the business.

## New Store Opens.

The new store of M. L. Ginsburg, located on First Avenue North, is open for business with a nice line of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Men's Furnishings. You are invited to call and look over the new place. You can probably save some money if you need anything for your line, and if you do not just now, you will later on. It won't cost you a cent to see what we have to offer.

## Bank Opening Saturday.

The New Citizens National Bank will open for business on Saturday of this week and the people of Grand Rapids are invited to call and inspect the new place on that day.

It does not matter whether you have any business there or not, you are invited to call and look over the new institution. They will try to treat you right.

## Notice.

I will teach anyone the barber trade in a few weeks and put them to work at a good wage. This is a bona fide offer. Write to A. B. Moier, Pres., Moier System of Colleges, 330 4th St., Milwaukee, Wis.—2d pl.

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## ORNAMENTAL STREET LIGHTS

Unightly Lamps and Poles Being Displaced with Decorative Lighting Standards.

In the good old days before the illuminating engineer was with us the street was lighted by the hit-and-miss method. The poles were set up where most convenient and the lamps installed in the easiest way, regardless of how they looked, or how they effected the efficiency of the illumination. Many and many a street is made hideous by long rows of unightly poles, by drooping arc lamps hanging from a network of overhead wires, by strings of unightly incandescent lamps.

It was not until recently that this subject of ornamental street lighting was seriously considered. Then it was speedily demonstrated that a lighting system in any city or village could be made ornamental to the place in day light hours as well as at night. Down come the unightly poles and the cobwebby wires. Ornamental standards classic of design and beautiful in appearance, were set up at regular intervals along the curb. The wires were all put underground, where they belong, and at once the street was transformed.

Two methods of street lighting are now in vogue and either one lends itself easily to a great variety of artistic effects. Where the incandescent system is used the new filament lamps are now used. With these lamps the light is softer and less tiring to the eye than the old gas or arc lamps. The same cost of current as with the old lamps. Incandescent lamps are generally installed in clusters, rather than in strings of lamps. These clusters of three, five or even more lamps are artistically grouped on a cast iron standard with the wiring all concealed within the pole and in conduits under the ground. The lamps are shaded with white alabaster or ground glass globes so there is no dazzling points of light and the illumination is evenly distributed about the street.

Many of the old installations of hanging arc lamps are even uglier than the incandescent lamps. These old arcs are usually suspended above the street on the angle of wires and cables, where they glare and sputter the long night thru. But modern engineers and modern love of the beautiful, as well as the utility of a lighting system, have changed all this. The new systems of arc lighting are nothing like the old. The lamps are not hung above the street but crown the tops of ornamental standards placed alternately up and down the street. There are no hanging wires in sight, no sharp points of light to dazzle the eyes, no flicker and sputter. Instead of sharp penetrating rays of incandescent light, the new luminous arc lamps give a flood of soft, white light which is many times more efficient and more economical than the light from the old lamps. The wire and cables are all underground where they are safe and do not mar the natural beauty of the street. Shade trees do not have to be cut down or trimmed up at any time.

It is an interesting feature of ornamental lamp-posts that they seem to be as popular and effective for use in private installations for hotels, clubs and department stores as in the lighting of parks and city streets. And the same principle applies to the large store, the restaurant, or wherever properly depends on popular favor. A store, surrounded or flanked by a chain of ornamental posts, stands out pleasantly conspicuous among its surroundings and is seen in an atmosphere of cheerful radiance that is an irresistible attraction. When we walk down that street we walk on the bright side, and we are susceptible to such inviting influence.

In the lighting of parks and public buildings—the city hall, the library, the union station—the influence of daylight illumination is far-reaching. The outlining of domes, towers and cables in electric lights, and artistic placements of ornamental posts, lend an evening atmosphere that appeals to all and becomes part of the pleasing identity of the institution.

Moreover, this holds no less true when applied to our dignified and ornate banks and churches. The softening, humanizing influence of light establishes a bond with all the people. We are apt to think of ornamental street lighting as the gala attire of the busy downtown streets, and as a mighty ally of the merchant. But can any system of street illumination be more appropriate for residence streets and the private estates than the classic lamp post with its glowing balls or its hanging lanterns.

## GOOD TEMPLARS MEETING.

Annual Session of Hub District to be Held Here.

The annual session of Hub District No. 21, Independent Order of Good Templars will be held in this city next Friday and Saturday, March 28 and 29. The Grand Chief Templar, Mr. T. W. North will be here for the session. The election of officers and all annual business will be transacted. There will be delegates from other lodges in District. The first session will be called in order at 2 P. M. followed by one in the evening, and another one Saturday forenoon.

All members of social order are requested to be at hall at 1:30 for special session of local lodge before district session. These meetings will be held in Foresters Hall. Every member of this Order should come and help make this a good session.

## Morgan-Langer.

Miss Laura Morgan and Albert Langer were married at 9 o'clock Tuesday at the Catholic church in this city. Rev. Wm. Reding performing the ceremony that made them man and wife. They were accompanied by Miss Lois Morgan, sister of the bride, and August Langer, brother of the groom.

The young couple left the same evening on a short wedding tour, intending to visit in Milwaukee and Chicago, and upon their return will make their home in this city.

Both of these young people are well and favorably known here and have a host of friends to wish them a happy journey through life. The Tribune unites with these in extending congratulations.

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For sale by Ginsburg, 111 Third Ave. N.

Johnson & Hill Co.  
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Removal Sale  
of Shoes

1000 Pair of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes to be sold at Half Price or Less. We are going to move our shoes from their present location to the main floor. To make the moving easy we offer some exceptional bargains. Come and see what we have to offer. We can fit every foot.

Sale commences Thursday morning, March 27th, and continues until we move to main floor, which will be about one week.

Men's \$2.00 Shoes for 98c	
One lot of Men's Shoes, regular prices were \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00, removal sale price per pair.....	98c
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One lot of Women's shoes consisting of Gun Metal Button, Dongola Blucher and Patent Leather Button or Blucher also Vici Kid Blucher, our regular low prices are \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50, removal sale price.....	\$1.65
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- 48 Lots adjoining Robinson Park at \$35.00 and up.
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The new enterprise will meet with an open field at the beginning of next month as at that time the City Water & Light department will discontinue handling electrical supplies and fixtures or do house wiring.

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Friday, March 28.  
The Wonders of the East, and complete production. Sure to please you. Prices 25, 35, 50, and 75 cents, all reserved.

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One of the chimneys on Geo. E. Williams' residence was blown down by the wind, and other residence property about the city was damaged to a slight extent.

Reports from the surrounding country are to the effect that numerous small buildings were damaged by the heavy wind, altho the loss was not particularly large anywhere.

A tornado swept the city of Omaha the same evening where 152 were killed and 400 injured. Also a score or more were killed at Terre Haute, Ind., and it is estimated that 250 people were killed in the middle west by the storm.

#### NEW BANK PICTURES HERE.

Probable That Place Will be in Operation Next Week.

The fixtures for the New Citizens National Bank arrived in the city on Saturday and have been placed in position. The safe, which is one of the latest pattern burglar proof, has been placed in the vault.

The new fixtures are constructed of oak and while not elaborate in any way, present a very neat appearance, and it is evident that when the work is finished up things will look very nice there.

The indications are now that the bank will be ready for business next Monday.

#### Federation Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Federation will be held at the residence of Mrs. A. L. Arpin, on Baker street, at 2:30 p. m. All members are urged to be present as the amendment to article IV, Section I of the constitution is to be voted upon, namely:

The officers of this Federation shall be President, Vice Presidents, Secretary, and Treasurer, all of whom shall be elected at the annual meeting by ballot.

Amended to read:

The officers of this Federation shall be President, Vice Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer, all of whom shall be elected at the annual meeting by ballot, and shall hold office for a term of two years.

The reports of the chairman of each department, of their work throughout the year is always most instructive, and a large attendance is desired.

#### Chautauqua Dates.

The dates for the Chautauqua Assembly which is to be given in Grand Rapids this summer, under the auspices of the Women's Federation, have been fixed for the third week in August, beginning August 13th to 24th inclusive.

#### Death of Leslie Boorman.

Francis Leslie Boorman, third son of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Boorman, died at his home in this city on Friday, March 22nd, cause of death being typhoid fever. Leslie was taken sick with the grip about three weeks ago, which later developed into typhoid fever. He was 18 years, 5 months and 23 days old at the time of his death.

Deceased had lived in this city all his life and was a graduate of 1911. He was a member of the Congregational church and a young man of exemplary habits. For some time past he had been working at the Ellis Lumber Company's plant, intending later to attend the University.

The funeral occurred Monday afternoon from the home, Rev. H. B. Johnson conducting the services, interment being in Forest Hill cemetery.

#### Parental Association.

A meeting of the Parental Association will occur at the Lincoln school on Friday evening of this week. A program has been arranged for the occasion, and music will be furnished by the high school orchestra.

#### Received Too Late.

The Tribune is in receipt of a lengthy communication from Engineer Fred Pfeiffer on the subject of the Grand Rapids Water Works, which contains much valuable information, but which was received too late for publication this week. However, it will be run next week.

#### WANTED.—Every boy in Grand Rapids to know that I, Zimmerman, will give a baseball mitt, with each pair of boys shoes bought at his store on Friday and Saturday of this week.

—A baseball mitt given with each pair of boys shoes sold at Zimmerman's store on Friday and Saturday of this week.—It

### ARE READY FOR BUSINESS

Elks Have Set the Dates for Their Minstrels and April Second and Third.

The Elks are rapidly rounding things into shape and will be letter perfect when the date for their minstrel show comes, which will be on Wednesday and Thursday of next week April 24 and 25. On Wednesday the mammoth street parade occurs, when it is expected, should the weather permit, that there will be more excitement in town than that occasioned by a Tom show.

The following program has been arranged for the occasion:

#### PART I.

Opening chorus by entire company.  
I'm Going to Take the First Train  
Mr. C. C. Norstrom  
My Gai Sai  
Mr. F. M. Schnabel  
I'm Unlucky  
Mr. R. L. Nash  
That's Goin Some Mr. Chas. Laramie  
Give Me Just a Little Smile  
Mr. Herbert Roach  
I'm the Guy  
Mr. C. C. Norstrom  
That Old Girl of Mine Mr. John Robert  
Waiting for the Robert R. Lee  
Mr. A. P. Mulroy  
Closing Chorus. Entire Co.

#### PART II.

Overture  
Address  
Clarinet Duet  
Dr. C. F. Bandelin, Mr. R. W. Morse  
Swede Character Sketch  
Mr. Gus Brunson  
The Revived Raddison Orchestra  
Mr. Hugh B. Gogins  
Mr. Louis Peyruse  
Mr. Herbert A. Saecker  
Mother Machree  
Mr. A. P. Mulroy  
Harry Lauder  
Mr. E. Ransom  
Indian Sketch  
Mr. Gus Brunson and Company  
Ensemble

#### AGAINST FOREST RESERVES.

Counties in Northern Wisconsin Do Not Like Reforestation.

While the average dweller in Central and Southern Wisconsin has been of the opinion that this forest reserve business is a great protection, it seems from some of the state that the people up there do not look on the matter with a great deal of favor. The following on the matter is taken from the Burnett County Journal, and shows what they think of the proposition:

One of the money mad officials of Wisconsin is the state forester. The ubiquitous E. M. Griffith is always on hand at every opportunity asking for money, money, more money—for his pet forest reserve idea. Like many men, Griffith has mounted his hobby and is riding it at top notch speed to its death—I hope.

The state forester and the forestry board have prepared several bills to be placed before the legislature, one to create a million and a half acre forest reserve in Northern Wisconsin, another asking for a direct annual state tax of one-tenth of one mill on all the taxable property of the state for a period of twenty years, to be used in furthering and promoting the forest reserve idea.

Circular No. 327, prepared by the Wisconsin tax commission, is before me. This shows that for the year 1912 Burnett county has been assessed at \$6,121,274, for all taxable property. One-tenth of a mill tax means an annual outlay of more than \$612,000 for Burnett county for forestry purposes. More than this, there is now before the legislature a joint resolution, No. 11, S., which proposes that this direct tax for forestry purposes may be raised to two-tenths of one mill on the state's taxable property. This amendment if approved by the voters would double this amount of \$612 per annum.

The same proportions would hold good, the same for the forestry appropriations a twenty year burden the figures of which would swell to astounding sums with the state's rapidly increasing taxable property, which, I think it is safe to say, will in 1933 be double what it is now.

Do the people of Wisconsin want this forestry reserve craze to be thus expanded and perpetuated?

Do the tax payers of Burnett county want to tax themselves to the limit of over a thousand dollars annually for a period of twenty years in order that one state forester may carry out an idea over which he dreams by night and by day?

Forest propagation within reason is not to be objected to. Within bounds it should be carried on. But a brief glance at the history of forestry legislation in Wisconsin will force the conclusion that appropriations for that purpose should stop—for some time to come.

#### Will Open Law Office.

John Roberts, who has been associated with D. D. Conway in the law business in this city during the past couple of years, intends to open an office of his own on the first of April, and with this end in view has engaged rooms in the Wood County Bank building, where he will have his office.

During Mr. Roberts' residence in this city he has had many friends and there is no question but what he will get his share of the business.

#### New Store Opens.

The new store of M. L. Ginsburg, located on First Avenue North, is open for business with a nice line of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Men's Furnishings. You are invited to call and look over the new place. You can probably save some money if you do not just now, you will later on. It won't cost you a cent to see what we have to offer.

#### Bank Opening Saturday.

The New Citizens National Bank will open for business on Saturday of this week and the people of Grand Rapids are invited to call and inspect the new place on that day.

It does not matter whether you have a business there or not, you are invited to call and look over the new institution. They will try to treat you right.

#### Notice.

I will teach anyone the barber trade in a few weeks and get them to work at good wages. This is a bona fide offer. Write to A. B. Moler, Pres., Moler System of Colleges, 330 4th St., Milwaukee, Wis.—21 p.d.

—Subscribe for the Tribune. \$1.50.

### ORNAMENTAL STREET LIGHTS

Unightly Lamps and Poles Being Discarded with Decorative Lighting Standards.

In the good old days before the illuminating engineer was with us the street was lighted by the hit-and-miss method. The poles were set up where most convenient and the lamps were placed in the easiest way, regardless of how they looked, or how they effected the efficiency of the illumination. Many and many a street is made hideous by long rows of unlighting poles, by drooping arc lamps hanging from a network of overhead wires, by strings of unlighting incandescent lamps.

It was not until recently that the subject of ornamental street lighting was seriously considered. Then it was speedily demonstrated that a lighting system in any city or village could be made ornamental to the place in daylight hours as well as at night. Down come the unlighting poles and the colorless wires. Ornamental standards, classic of design and beautiful in appearance, were set up at regular intervals along the curb. The wires were all put underground, where they belong, and at once the street was transformed.

Two methods of street lighting are now in vogue and either one lends itself easily to a great variety of artistic effects. Where the incandescent system is used the new filament lamps are now used. With these lamps the light is softer and three times the lumens can be secured for the same cost of current as with the old lamps. Incandescent lamps are generally installed in clusters, rather than in strings of lamps. These clusters of three, five or even more, lamps are artistically grouped on a cast iron standard with the wiring all concealed within the pole, and in conduits under the ground. The lamps are shaded with white alabaster or ground glass globes so there is no dazzling points of light and the illumination is evenly distributed about the street.

Many of the old installations of hanging arc lamps are even better than the incandescent ones. The old arcs are usually suspended above the street on a tangle of wires and cables, where they glare and sputter the long night thru. But modern engineers and modern love of the beautiful, as well as the utility of a lighting system, have changed all this. The new systems of arc lighting are nothing like the old. The lamps are not hung from the street standards placed alternately up and down the street. There are no hanging wires in sight, no sharp points of light to dazzle the eyes, no flicker and rattle. Instead of sharp penetrating rays of bluish light the new luminous arc lamps give a flood of soft, white light which is many times more efficient and pleasant than the old lamps. The wire and cables are all underground where they are safe and do not mar the natural beauty of the street. Shade trees do not have to be cut down or trimmed until they die.

It is an interesting feature of ornamental lamp-poles that they seem to be popular and effective for use in private installations for hotels, clubs and department stores as in the lighting of parks and city streets. And the same principle applies to the large store, the restaurant, or wherever prosperity depends on popular favor. A store, surrounded or flanked by a chain of pleasantly conspicuous arc lamps, and seen in an atmosphere of cheerful radiance that is an irresistible attraction. When we walk down that street we walk on the bright side, and we are susceptible to such inviting influence.

In the lighting of parks and public buildings—the city hall, the library, the union station—the influence of display illumination is far reaching. The outlining of domes, towers and gables in electric lights, and artistic placement of ornamental poles, lend an evening atmosphere that appeals to all and becomes part of the pleasing identity of the institution.

Moreover, it holds no less true when applied to our dignified and ornate banks and churches. The softening, humanizing influence of light establishes a bond with all the people. We are apt to think of ornamental street lighting as the gala attire of the busy downtown streetfront, but, in the quiet of the alley of the home, a more appropriate for residence streets and the entrance driveway to private estates than the classic lamp post with its glowing balls or its hanging lanterns.

#### GOOD TEMPLARS MEETING.

Annual Session of Hub District to be Held Here.

The annual session of Hub District No. 21, Independent Order of Good Templars will be held in this city next Friday and Saturday, March 28 and 29. The Grand Chief Templar, Mr. T. W. North will be here for the session. The election of officers and all annual business will be transacted. There will be delegates from all the Hub Districts. The first session will be called to order at 2 P. M., followed by one in the evening, and another one Saturday forenoon.

All members of social order are requested to be at hall at 1:30 for special session of local lodge before district session. These meetings will be held in Foresters Hall. Every member of this Order should come and help make this a good session.

#### Morgan-Langer.

Miss Laura Morgan and Albert Langer were married at 9 o'clock Tuesday at the Catholic church in this city. Rev. Wm. Reeling performing the ceremony that made them man and wife. They were accompanied by Miss L. Morgan, sister of the bride, and August Langer, brother of the groom.

The young couple left the same evening on a short wedding tour, intending to visit in Milwaukee and Chicago, and upon their return will make their home in this city.

Both of these young people are well and favorably known here and have a host of friends to wish them a happy journey through life. The Tribune unites with these in extending congratulations.

HORSES FOR SALE.—Six horses for sale by Ginsburg, 111 1/2 1st Ave. N.

## WILLIAM KITTLE

Candidate for State Superintendent of Public Instruction



He declares for INCREASED SERVICE Rather than Increased Cost of the Common Schools.

Endorsed by the superintendents of schools in Milwaukee, Racine, Oshkosh, LaCrosse, Dodgeville, Grand Rapids, Watertown, Richland Center, etc.; and by Duncan McGregor, A. J. Schmitz, John Aylward, William Mitchell Lewis, Alfred T. Rogers, Joseph Davies, William George Bruce, Rev. E. G. Updike, Rev. Ambrose Murphy, John E. Commons, John Roemer, Harold Erickson, J. L. O'Connor, Zona Gale, and many others.

Election on Tuesday, April 1st.



Johnson & Hill Co.  
Grand Rapids, Wisconsin

## Removal Sale of Shoes

1000 Pair of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes to be sold at Half Price or Less. We are going to move our shoes from their present location to the main floor. To make the moving easy we offer some exceptional bargains. Come and see what we have to offer. We can fit every foot.

Sale commences Thursday morning, March 27th, and continues until we move to main floor, which will be about one week.

#### Men's \$2.00 Shoes for 98c

One lot of Men's Shoes, regular prices were \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00, removal sale price per pair..... **98c**

#### Men's \$2.25 Shoes for \$1.45

One lot of Men's heavy work shoes, Kangaroo grain nailed and sewed, former prices \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25 removal sale price per pair..... **\$1.45**

#### Women's \$3.50 Shoes for \$1.65

One lot of Women's shoes consisting of Gun Metal Button, Dongola Blucher and Patent Leather Button or Blucher also Vici Kid Blucher, our regular low prices are \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50, removal sale price **\$1.65**

#### Men's \$4.00 Shoes for \$1.95

One lot of Men's Goodyear Welt shoes, either button or blucher style, our regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 grades, removal sale price per pair..... **\$1.95**

#### Boys' \$2.00 Shoes for \$1.45

One lot of Boys' Gun Metal shoes, sizes run from 8 to 11, former prices which were very low for the quality was \$1.75 and \$2.00, removal sale price **\$1.45**

#### Boys' \$1.75 Shoes for \$1.25

Boys' Calf Blucher and Gun Metal Button shoes \$1.50 and \$1.75 values, removal sale price..... **\$1.25**

One lot of Youth's Calf Blucher, extra good value for \$1.50, removal sale price per pair..... **98c**

### A few Specials in Our Grocery Dep't during our Big Shoe Sale

Karo Syrup, during this sale the gullet.....	<b>34c</b>	Ginger Soaps, during this sale per pound.....	<b>5c</b>	Blizzard Flour, 100 lbs., during this sale only.....	<b>\$2.38</b>
Prunes, all you want, during this sale per pound.....	<b>5c</b>	Calumet Baking Powder, at this sale only.....	<b>19c</b>	Sugar, during this sale, 21 pounds for.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Oatmeal, during this sale, 10 pounds for.....	<b>25c</b>	10 bars best Soap, during this sale only.....	<b>31c</b>	Sugar, at this sale, 100 pounds for.....	<b>\$4.78</b>

FARMERS, if in need of SEED of any kind, such as Grass Seed, Corn, Oats or Garden Seed, we have a fine assortment.

### Dry Goods Department

Fruit of the Loom or Lonsdale Sheeting, during this sale per yard.....	<b>8 1/2c</b>
31 inch double fold Porcelains in a good line of colors, pretty patterns during this sale per yard.....	<b>6 1/2c</b>
Paper good pins, full count, per paper.....	<b>1c</b>
Large package good wire hair pins for.....	<b>1c</b>
2 doz. good pearl buttons for.....	<b>5c</b>
Extra good quality Safety pins per dozen.....	<b>5c</b>
Assorted wire hair pins in box, per box.....	<b>3c</b>

### Clothing Department Specials

Men's regular 50c Work Shirts in different shades of blue, grey, tan, etc., plain colors and stripes.....	<b>43c</b>
Men's Black Hair Hose, 10c values, during this sale, special, 7 pairs for.....	<b>48c</b>

Special—FREE—A baseball, a baseball glove or mitt free with each boy's suit.

### Buck Stoves.

Each year the Buck Stove Co. make new patterns in stoves. Owing to this fact we will not be able to order any more Buck stoves like the models we have on our floor display, we are therefore offering you a Special Reduction of Five Dollars (\$5.00) on each Buck Range on our floor if you bring this coupon with you. Remember, we still maintain our offer a five dollar assortment of Graniteware with each Buck Range.

## THIS COUPON

If brought to our store

Entitles M to a Five Dollar Discount on any Buck Range on selling floor, in addition to the Five Dollars worth of Graniteware. JOHNSTON & HILL CO., Grand Rapids, Wis.



Grand Rapids Tribune  
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PLAN TO INSPECT  
DETENTION PLACES

SENATE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS BILL TO EXAMINE PENAL INSTITUTIONS

RECONSIDER GORECKY BILL

Measure Barring Liquor from Schools and Churches to Be Amended So That Communion Services Will Not Be Interfered With.

Madison.—The senate committee on education and public welfare has recommended for passage the Scott bill authorizing the state board of control to appoint one or more agents to assist in the inspection of police stations, lockups, county almshouses and insane asylums and all other charitable and penal institutions except state institutions. Members of the board told the committee that their duties of inspection consume so much time that they were not able to properly perform their other duties.

The committee also decided to recommend for passage the Scott bill, empowering the board to elect a superintendent for the new state hospital for the criminal insane and authorizing such superintendent to appoint a staff of assistants with the approval of the board.

Reconsideration was granted of the vote by which the Gorecki bill forbidding the sale of liquor on church and school grounds was ordered engrossed. The bill will be passed by the assembly at least and probably by the senate in a form which will meet the object for which the bill was introduced, the prevention of the sale of liquor at school entertainments. The reconsideration of the bill was granted for the sole purpose of so amending the bill that there could be no question that wine for the sacrament could be used in churches. The amendment to the bill will probably exempt churches from the provisions of the measure with a proviso, however, that where churches and parochial schools are located on the same tract of land, any liquor used on the ground must be kept in the churches and not allowed in the school house.

The Schilling bill which provides for the licensing of automobiles according to horsepower was passed by the assembly. This bill provides that a minimum license of \$5 shall be paid on each automobile and that charges of 25 cents per horsepower for each additional horsepower exceeding twenty horsepower. By this method of charging license fees, a person owning a sixty horsepower machine would pay \$15.

RED PINES FOR RESERVES

20,000 Young Trees Paced at Sparta as Experiment—May Extend to Northern Cut Over Lands.

La Crosse.—Twenty thousand red pine transplants have been sent to Sparta by the department of agriculture at Washington to be used in the reforestation of the military range. This is the second shipment to be sent to be used in the reforestation experiment being made by the government in Wisconsin. The experiment on the military reservation proves successful the reforestation work will be extended to thousands of acres of the cut over forest lands in the northern part of the state.

Wreck Evidence Found.

Sheboygan.—The finding of many Christmas trees in the waters of Lake Michigan before this city by fishermen causes the owners of the boats to think that Rouse Simmons, which was lost in the lake just before last Christmas, went to the bottom in the vicinity of this city. Nearly 100 of the trees were found floating in the lake and many of these were brought to this city by the fishermen. Parts of a large ship were also found and brought into port.

Oppose Land Commission.

Spooner.—At the annual meeting of the North Wisconsin Farm Land association here strong resolutions were adopted concerning the bill, S. 454, recently introduced in the senate, creating a land and rural betterment commission to regulate the land ownership of the state.

Sawmill Man Loses Mind.

Marquette.—John Simon, a farmer well to do sawmill man and farmer of Florence county, has been adjudged insane and taken to the state asylum at Oshkosh.

Teach Auto Driving.

Madison.—Classes in the operation and management of automobiles and motors are being established in several localities throughout the state under the auspices of the university extension department.

Mailman Travels Far.

Manitowish.—John Houghton, a mail carrier out of this city, has traveled 107,000 miles during his fourteen years of service, according to records he has kept.

Will Dedicate Solid Shaft.

La Crosse.—A monument to the soldiers who fought in the civil war will be unveiled and dedicated in Oak Grove cemetery by Wilson-Crowell post, G. A. R., on Memorial day. The monument will cost \$1,700.

Killed While Walking Home.

Sheboygan.—Fred Fliesback, aged 42, a fireman, was killed by a way freight near Newton, while walking along the railroad track to his home from the village.

Baraboo River Is High.

Baraboo.—According to records covering a period of sixty years, the Baraboo river has broken all records for high water. Inmates of several farm houses in the valley have been rescued by boats. Some stock is drowned.

KING GEORGE OF GREECE IS SLAIN BY AN ASSASSIN

Monarch of Hellenic Nation Is Murdered While With His Troops at Salonika.

SLAIN BY SOCIALIST

Head of Greeks Assassinated While Walking Street Accompanied by Friend—Shot From Behind.

DIES AT NEARBY HOSPITAL

Was Second Oldest of Europe's Royal Heads—Second Son of Christian IV, of Denmark and Allied by Blood or Marriage With the Leading Crowned Heads.

London, March 19.—The news of the assassination of the king of Greece, George, which has been pouring into London from various European capitals, was officially confirmed by a message received by Queen Alexandra at Marlborough house. It was from Prince Nicholas, at Salonika, where the murder was committed, and briefly stated that King George was assassinated while walking the streets of Salonika and died half an hour after receiving the fatal wound.

On hearing the news Queen Alexandra collapsed, falling in a deep swoon. Her condition caused her attendants and physicians the deepest concern. She was carried to her sleeping apartment, where it was said that she was in a serious condition. According to information which has been received from Salonika, the assassin, who is called Skina, declared when arrested that he had killed the king because he had refused to give him money which he had asked for.

Skina is said to belong to a Socialist organization at Volos.

A private message received here by a prominent Greek is as follows:

Killed While Walking Street.

"Salonika, March 19.—His majesty King George of Greece was assassinated while walking the street, accompanied by a friend. Two men, unnoticed, emerged suddenly from a nearby house just after his majesty and his companion had passed and crept up stealthily behind the king. When but a few inches away one of these men drew a pistol and fired point blank at the king.

"The king's attention having been attracted by the close proximity of the two men, his majesty had half turned around, the movement being made just in time to receive the discharge full in the breast.

"Exclaiming, 'I am shot!' his majesty fell to the ground without a further word.

"The noise of the shot attracted immediate attention. Almost instantly people came running from every direction, little dreaming the identity of the victim.

King Dies at Hospital.

"The king, who quickly became unconscious, was gently lifted by many hands and taken to a nearby hospital, where he died in a few minutes."

Other messages received privately confirm in the main these details. One message adds that the people of Salonika wrought up to an intense pitch by the murder and there is some probability of them taking the law into their own hands.

King George and Queen Mary received the news at Windsor castle, where they are now in residence. Both were deeply grieved.

The dead king was Queen Alexandra's favorite brother and was a well known figure to London crowds.

Founder of New Dynasty.

London, March 19.—Half a century has passed since the day—March 18, 1863—when the Greek national assembly at Athens, at the suggestion of Prince William George of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glueckburg, second son of the late Christian IX, of Denmark and brother of Queen Alexandra, to be king of the Hellenes.

Prince William George was only eighteen years old and a midshipman in the British navy when he was offered the throne of Hellas. The former ruler, King Otto I, who was a Bavarian prince, was dethroned by a revolution in 1862, and the provisional government of Greece invited him to accept the throne. He refused, and the British navy when he was offered the throne of Hellas. The former ruler, King Otto I, who was a Bavarian prince, was dethroned by a revolution in 1862, and the provisional government of Greece invited him to accept the throne. He refused, and the British navy when he was offered the throne of Hellas.

Candle Salesman.

A trio of young newspaper men have a bachelor apartment in a New York flat building. As they were seated at breakfast a postman came to the door with one of those now-fangled kitchen utensils that are so useful in the hands of a demonstrator who doesn't do any cooking himself.

"The lady of the house in?" inquired the postman.

"None. Ain't any," replied the man who answered the knock. "You're at the door of a bachelor apartment. What's on your mind?"

"Oh, I want to show it to you fellows," the postman replied with a grin. "I'm selling a patent egg boiler, stove lighter, and can opener all in one, that the women buy like hot cakes, but you fellows wouldn't fall for it. The thing's a fake."

Strange.

"Anything remarkable about this town?"

"Well, we ain't after a new deppo."

The way to be nothing is to be nothing—Howe.

MRS. SUN YAT SEN



Mrs. Sun Yat Sen, wife of the former provisional president of China, was seriously injured in an automobile accident in Tokio.

promptly approved by England and other powers.

Sent to Meath as Punishment.

The young prince had been sent to the meath as punishment when the emissaries of the powers arrived to offer him the crown. He accepted through his father, and, having been officially declared of age, he made his entry in Athens on October 30 of that year, took the oath and ascended the throne.

Four years later, October 15, 1867, he married the Grand Duchess Olga, eldest daughter of the Grand Duke Constantine of Russia, thus connecting himself by a strong link with one of the most powerful reigning families of Europe.

The Greeks agreed to settle \$225,000 a year upon their new king. England, France and Russia each agreed to add \$20,000 a year for the term of his natural life and about \$50,000 was charged for his benefit on the Ionian islands, which were later ceded to him by Great Britain.

Father of Six Children.

Queen Olga bore him six children, of whom all but the youngest, Prince Christopher, born in 1888, are married. The heir apparent to the throne is Prince Constantine, duke of Sparta, who was born in 1868, and in 1889 was married to Princess Sophia, sister of Emperor William II.

Although King George always showed the greatest devotion to his people and proved himself a faithful and liberal king, neither he nor his family enjoyed great popularity. Many times the continuance of the dynasty was seriously threatened, but King George maintained his dignity and weathered all storms, even the critical period of the disastrous war against Turkey.

The king was born December 24, 1845, as the second son of Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glueckburg, who became king of Denmark in 1863, and Princess Louisa, daughter of King Karl XV. of Sweden and Norway. In baptism the young prince received the name Christian William Ferdinand Adolphus George.

Sketch of Crown Prince Constantine.

The Crown Prince Constantine, who will succeed King George, is the generalissimo of the Greek army in the field in the Balkan war. He has distinguished himself in fierce fighting and only a few days ago news came that, at the head of a big force, he had forced the surrender of the important Turkish fortress of Janina, the key to the province of Epirus.

The surrender of this fortress brought 22,000 Turkish prisoners under control of the Greeks, and for his success the crown prince was thanked by the chamber of deputies at Athens, after the premier, Mr. Venizelos, had congratulated him in addressing the deputies.

He was born at Athens on July 21, 1868. The crown prince was the son of King George I, of Greece. The work of the young prince, after he had obtained his majority, was largely devoted to reestablishing the Greek army upon a firm footing.

CATTLE DIE BY THOUSANDS

Havoc Wrought on Western Ranches by Recent Blizzard—Mrs. Oliver Hartman Snowbound.

Lincoln, Neb., March 19.—An estimate made following reports received from the storm swept region of the northwest showed at least 17,000 head of cattle had perished between Broken Bow and Alliance in this state.

Rapid City, N. D., March 19.—Traveling east with the body of her mother, who died at Hot Springs, Mrs. Oliver Hartman of New York is stalled here in her private car, while Chicago & Northwestern railway officials are making efforts to get a special train through. One of the routes is out of commission and with seven locomotives stalled in a cut a mile east of town, where the snow is 40 feet deep for half a mile.

HYDE JURORS FAIL TO AGREE

Twelve Men Discharged by Judge—Third Time Kansas City Doctor Has Been Tried for Murder.

Kansas City, March 18.—The third trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, charged with the murder of Col. Thomas H. Swope, has resulted in a mistrial. The jury after being out 8 1/2 hours was unable to reach any verdict, and was discharged by Judge R. E. Porter.

Dear Mutes in Convention.

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The secretary of state devoted the morning hours to an informal reception at the Lindell hotel where hundreds of his neighbors called to pay their respects. In line with Secretary Bryan's Democratic Governor of Illinois, Hodge of Kansas, and Governor of Nebraska, a lunch party at the mansion of Governor Morehead, who followed in the afternoon by a visit to the state capitol, where the premier of the Wilson cabinet and the three governors addressed the state legislature in joint session. Mr. Bryan introduced the governors to the legislators and in a subsequent thirty-minute speech commented on the growth of progressivism and democracy in America.

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Washington, March 19.—The nomination of Chairman William F. McCombs of the Democratic national committee to be ambassador to France was prepared at the White House Monday and as it was about to be transmitted to the senate it was withheld at Mr. McCombs's request. Mr. McCombs has decided to accept the post and it is said the delay does not mean a change in his intentions.

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Cleveland, O., March 19.—Frederick Kohler is no longer chief of police of Cleveland. The civil service commission found him guilty of gross immorality and straightway discharged him from office Monday.

Equip Airships With Guns.

Friedrichshafen, March 19.—Owing to the success of the recent trials of machine guns on the latest type of Zeppelin airships it was decided Monday to equip all future Zeppelins with these guns.

Noted Woman Writer Dies.

Denver, Colo., March 18.—Mrs. Ina Marie Porter Ockenden, author of the words to "Dixie," one of the foremost women writers of the south, died in Galveston, Tex., Sunday. She formerly had her home here.

Girders Fall Kills a Workman.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 19.—One workman was killed and three were injured by the fall of an eighteen-ton steel girder from the second story of a foundry building under construction here Saturday.

Pope Omits Palm Ceremony.

Rome, March 19.—It is customary for the pope to deliver a short address when receiving the palms. Under the advice of his physicians, however, Pope Pius omitted that ceremony Sunday.

Three Youths Drowned.

Reading, Pa., March 18.—William and Charles Oxley and Paul Wetter, all aged about eighteen years, were drowned in the Schuylkill river while trying out a new canoe Sunday afternoon.

LOWERING THE HIGH COST OF LIVING



The New York Railways company of New York city has just opened a store at Eighth avenue and Fifth street for the accommodation of all its employees, in which all groceries and meats can be bought at a wholesale price and at a saving to the buyers of more than 33 1-3 per cent. The upper photograph shows a group of motorists and conductors in the grocery department, buying groceries for which cash must be paid. Below is the meats and provision section of the store.

"SWINDLER" IS HELD

Men Are Charged With Misapplication of Funds of Defunct Cincinnati Trust Company.

Cincinnati, March 19.—The Hamilton county grand jury, which has been investigating the Cincinnati Trust company, has returned indictments against George B. Cox, former political "boss" and one-time president of the company, together with ten other officials and directors, charging them with having violated the state banking laws.

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SHOT IN MAYOR'S OFFICE

Chief Executive of Buffalo's Police Guard Fatally Wounded by Montana Cowboy.

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New German Balloon Wrecked.

Karlsruhe, Germany, March 21.—Another new German military dirigible of the rigid Zeppelin type was destroyed near here Wednesday. The dirigible broke in two when landing in a storm on the aviation ground.

Defeat Bachelor Tax.

Boston, March 21.—Celibacy will not be penalized in this state at present. The legislative committee on taxation reported adversely in the bill providing for an annual tax of \$5 on bachelors Wednesday.

Famous Paris Police Chief Resigns.

Paris, France, March 21.—Louis Leprieux, head of the Paris police for 20 years, resigned office Wednesday. He has been called "the most famous chief of police in the world," and has figured in many cases.

Opera Singer Very Ill.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 20.—Miss Grace Van Studdford, the opera singer, was sent to the Eye and Ear hospital Tuesday evening, seriously ill. She was overcome by an attack of acute laryngitis.

New Hampshire Hits Suffrage.

Concord, N. H., March 20.—Woman suffrage is dead in New Hampshire, at least for a year, the house of representatives having killed the woman suffrage bill by a vote of 228 to 98 Tuesday.

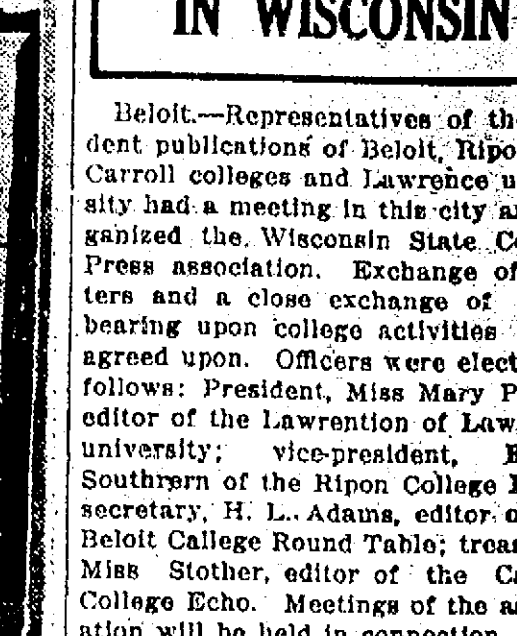
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Marshalltown, Ia., March 20.—Twenty-one persons were injured, three of them possibly fatally, when a passenger train on the Minneapolis & St. Paul railroad was derailed six miles north of here Tuesday.

80 Ships Sink; Many Die.

Hamburg, Germany, March 20.—Eighty ships, mainly small craft, were sunk off this city in a southwesterly gale of the Twelfth century. Twelve deaths have been reported, and it is thought the list may reach fifty.

SEEN AND HEARD IN WISCONSIN



Beloit.—Representatives of the student publications of Beloit, Ripon and Carroll colleges and Lawrence university had a meeting in this city and organized the Wisconsin State College Press association. Exchange of letters and a close exchange of news bearing upon college activities were agreed upon. Officers were elected as follows: President, Miss Mary Foster, editor of the Lawrence of Lawrence university; vice-president, Editor Southern of the Ripon College Days; secretary, H. L. Adams, editor of the Beloit College Round Table; treasurer, Miss Stotter, editor of the Carroll College Echo. Meetings of the association will be held in connection with the oratorical contests.

Janesville.—Noves Raessler of Beloit, secretary of the Rock County Experimental association, who received prize on his address on wheat, barley and rye, at a fair grain show, including the international grain show at Columbia, S. C., during the past winter, has given his championship exhibits to the Beloit and Janesville high schools and the teachers' training school of this city for use in experimental work in agriculture this spring.

Waukesha.—Mrs. Eliza Johnson, ninety-five years old, a resident of Hurlford for 60 years, died. If she had lived but a week longer, she would have reached the age of ninety-six. Mrs. Johnson was a native of England and came almost direct to Waukesha county 60 years ago. She leaves four sons, one of whom



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The committee also decided to recommend for passage the Scott bill, empowering the board to elect a superintendent for the new state hospital for the criminal insane and authorizing such superintendent to appoint a staff of assistants with the approval of the board.

Reconsideration was granted of the vote by which the Gorecki bill forbidding the sale of liquor on church and school grounds was ordered engrossed. The bill will be passed by the assembly at least and probably by the senate in a form which will meet the object for which the bill was introduced, the prevention of the sale of liquor at school entertainments. The reconsideration of the bill was granted for the sole purpose of so amending the bill that there could be no question that wine for the sacrament could be used in churches. The amendment to the bill will probably exempt churches from the provisions of the measure with a proviso, however, that where churches and parochial schools are located on the same tract of land, any liquor used on the ground must be kept in the churches and not allowed in the school house.

The Schilling bill which provides for the licensing of automobiles according to horsepower was passed by the assembly. This bill provides that a minimum license of \$5 shall be paid on each automobile and that charges of 25 cents per horsepower for each additional horsepower exceeding twenty horsepower. By this method of charging license fees, a person owning a sixty horsepower machine would pay \$15.

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La Crosse.—Twenty thousand red pine transplants have been sent to Sparta by the department of agriculture at Washington to be used in the reforestation of the military range. This is the second shipment to be sent to be used in the reforestation experiment being made by the government in Wisconsin. If the experiment on the military reservation proves successful the reforestation work will be extended to thousands of acres of the cut over forest lands in the northern part of the state.

**Wreck Evidence Found.**

Sheboygan.—The finding of many Christmas trees in the waters of Lake Michigan before this city by fishermen causes the owners of the boats to think that Rouse Simmons, which was lost in the lake just before last Christmas, went to the bottom in the vicinity of this city. Nearly 100 of the trees were found floating in the lake and many of these were brought to this city by the fishermen. Parts of a large ship were also found and brought into port.

**Oppose Land Commission.**

Spooner.—At the annual meeting of the North Wisconsin Farm Land association here strong resolutions were adopted condemning house bill 346A, recently introduced in the assembly, creating a land and rural betterment commission to regulate the land use of the state.

**Sawmill Man Loses Mind.**

Marquette.—John Simon, a former resident of Saukville and farmer of Florence county, has been adjudged insane and taken to the state asylum at Oshkosh.

**Teach Auto Driving.**

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**Mailman Travels Far.**

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On hearing the news Queen Alexandra collapsed, falling in a deep swoon. Her condition caused her attendants and physicians the deepest concern. She was carried to her sleeping apartment, where it was said that she was in a serious condition. According to information which has been received from Salonika, the assassin, who is called Skina, declared when arrested that he had killed the king because he had refused to give him money which he had asked for.

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King George and Queen Mary received the news at Windsor castle, where they are now in residence. Both were deeply grieved.

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Notwithstanding this state of affairs, the United States ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson, at Mexico City, is sending to the department daily dispatches which assert that the Mexican government is able to restore order everywhere.

# BRYAN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

**Citizens of Commoner's Home Town Turn Out En Masse to Do Him Honor.**

Lincoln, Neb., March 21.—William J. Bryan, secretary of state under President Woodrow Wilson, came to Lincoln Wednesday to celebrate his fifty-third birthday anniversary with the folks at home and be guest of honor at the annual banquet of the Lincoln Bryan club.

From the moment he stepped from his train until the banquet climax late at night when he addressed a course which jammed the Auditorium to its doors, the distinguished son of Nebraska was the central figure of a continuous ovation.

The secretary of state devoted the morning hours to an informal reception at the Lincoln hotel where hundreds of his neighbors called to pay their respects. In line with Secretary Bryan were Democratic Governor Dumas of Illinois, Hodges of Kansas and Morehead of Nebraska. A lunch party at the mansion of Governor Morehead, who followed in the afternoon by a visit to the state capitol where the premier of the Wilson cabinet and the three governors addressed the state legislature in joint session. Mr. Bryan introduced the governors to the legislators and in a subsequent thirty-minute speech commended the growth of progressivism and democracy in America.

# \$300,000 ROBBERY IN N. Y.

**Robbers Overlook \$500,000 in Jewels and Negotiable Bonds Lying Close at Hand.**

New York, March 18.—The finding of a strange key in the lock of a cellar door at No. 60 Eldridge street Sunday led to the discovery of the biggest robbery in New York city since the burglary of the Manhattan bank more than a quarter of a century ago. The amount stolen is roughly estimated to be between \$250,000 and \$300,000, while a half million more in jewels and negotiable bonds was not taken.

**M'COMBS TAKES FRENCH POST**

Democratic Chairman Delays the Sending of His Nomination to United States Senate.

Washington, March 19.—The nomination of Chairman William F. McCombs of the Democratic national committee to be ambassador to France was prepared at the White House Monday and as it was about to be transmitted to the senate it was withheld. Mr. McCombs's request, Mr. McCombs has decided to accept the post and it is said the delay does not mean a change in his intentions.

**HYDE JURY IS DISCHARGED**

Announces a Disagreement Following Deliberations Lasting Over Eighty-Six Hours.

Kansas City, Mo., March 19.—The jury which tried Dr. B. C. Hyde for the murder of Col. Thomas H. Swope, millionaire philanthropist, came into court at 12:35 p. m. Monday after having been out eighty-six hours and thirty-five minutes, and reported a disagreement and was discharged. The panel stood nine for acquittal, three for conviction.

**Quart Chief of Police Kohler**

Cleveland, O., March 19.—Frederick Kohler is no longer chief of police of Cleveland. The civil service commission found him guilty of gross immorality and straightway discharged him from office Monday.

**Equip Airships With Guns.**

Friedrichshaven, March 19.—Owing to the success of the recent trials of machine guns on the latest type of Zeppelin airships it was decided Monday to equip all future Zeppelins with these guns.

**Noted Woman Writer Dies.**

Denver, Colo., March 18.—Mrs. Ina Marie Foster Ockendon, author of the words to "Dixie," one of the foremost women writers of the south died in Galveston, Tex. Sunday. She formerly made her home here.

**Girdler's Fall Kills a Workman.**

Bridgeport, Conn., March 18.—One workman was killed and three were injured by the fall of an eighteen-ton steel girder from the second story of a foundry building under construction here Saturday.

**Pope Omits Palm Ceremony.**

Rome, March 18.—It is a foreboding for the pope to deliver a short address when receiving the palms. However, Pope Pius omitted that ceremony Sunday.

**Three Youths Drowned.**

Reading, Pa., March 18.—William and Charles Oxley and Paul Wetter, all aged about eighteen years, were drowned in the Schuylkill river while trying out a new canoe Sunday afternoon.

# LOWERING THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

The New York Railways company of New York city has just opened a store at Eighth avenue and Fifth street for the accommodation of all employees, in which all groceries and meats can be bought at a wholesale price and at saving to the buyer of more than 33 1/3 per cent. An upper photograph shows a group of motormen and conductors in the grocery department, buying groceries for which cash must be paid. Below is the meats and provision section of the store.

# "SWINDLER" IS HELD

**NEW YORK HAIR IMPORTER CAPTURED ON STEAMER AT NEW ORLEANS.**

Antone Martinez, Accompanied by Three Sons and Two Daughters, Taken From Berths of Ship About to Sail for Honduras.

Cincinnati, March 19.—The Hamilton county grand jury, which has been investigating the Cincinnati Trust company, has returned indictments against George B. Cox, former political "boss" and one-time president of the company, together with ten other officials and directors, charging them with having violated the state banking laws.

The others indicted were: Nathaniel S. Keith, secretary of the trust company; Fletcher R. Williams, treasurer; J. M. Crawford, director, once consul general at St. Petersburg; Charles H. Davis, director, former president of the Second National bank; David G. Edwards, director, broker; Dr. James F. Heady, director, James M. Hutton, director, broker; C. V. Parrish, Hamilton, Ohio, director; Norman G. Kenan, director, former president of the Union Gas & Electric company, and I. N. Miller, director, superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph company here.

Two indictments were returned. One nine counts charged Cox, Davis, Kenan, Heady, Hutton, Miller, Keith and Williams with misapplication of \$115,000 of the trust company's money through alleged illegal loans to the Ford & Johnson Chair company of Indianapolis.

The second indictment in two counts charges Cox, Crawford, Davis, Edwards, Heady, Hutton, Keith, Williams and Parrish with the abstraction of a note for \$325,500 with the intent to defraud the trust company.

All of the defendants but Heady and Hutton were in court when the indictments were read.

# SHOT IN MAYOR'S OFFICE

**Chief Executive of Buffalo's Police Guard Fatally Wounded by Montana Cowboy.**

Buffalo, N. Y., March 21.—Charles E. Lang, sergeant of police, was shot and fatally wounded in the office of Mayor Louis P. Fuhrman here Wednesday by Joseph Steinkamp, who was a Montana cowboy. Lang was on duty when Steinkamp entered and asked to see the mayor. When permission was refused he started shooting.

**New German Balloon Wrecked.**

Karlsruhe, Germany, March 21.—Another new German military dirigible of the rigid Zeppelin type was destroyed near here Wednesday. The dirigible broke in two when landing in a storm on the aviation ground.

**Defeat Bachelor Tax.**

Boston, March 21.—Cellucy will not be penalized in this state at present. The legislative committee on taxation reported adversely in the bill providing for an annual tax of \$5 on bachelors Wednesday.

**Famous Paris Police Chief Resigns.**

Paris, France, March 21.—Louis Leprieux, head of the Paris police for 20 years, resigned office Wednesday. He has been called "the most famous chief of police in the world," and has figured in many cases.

**Opera Singer Very Ill.**

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 20.—Miss Grace Van Studdford, the opera singer, was sent to the Eye and Ear hospital Tuesday evening, seriously ill. She was overcome by an attack of acute laryngitis.

**Marshalltown in Train Wreck.**

Marshalltown, Ia., March 20.—Twenty-one persons were injured, three of them possibly fatally, when a passenger train on the Minneapolis & St. Paul railroad was derailed six miles north of here Tuesday.

**80 Ships Sink; Many Die.**

Hamburg, Germany, March 20.—Eighty ships, mainly small craft, were sunk off this city in a southwestern hurricane Tuesday. Twelve deaths have been reported, and it is thought the list may reach fifty.

# GREEN AND HEARD IN WISCONSIN

Beloit.—Representatives of the student publications of Beloit, Ripon and Carroll colleges and Lawrence university had a meeting in this city and organized the Wisconsin State College Press association. Exchange of letters and a close exchange of news bearing upon college activities were agreed upon. Officers were elected as follows: President, Miss Mary Potter, editor of the Wisconsin State College University; Vice-president, Walter Southern of the Ripon College Days; Secretary, H. L. Adams, editor of the Beloit College Round Table; Treasurer, Miss Stotter, editor of the Carroll College Echo. Meetings of the association will be held in connection with the oratorical contests.

Janesville.—Novel Reader of Beloit, secretary of the Rock County Experimental association, who received prizes on his pedigree oats, wheat, barley and rye, at five grain shows, including the national one at Columbia, S. C., during the past winter, has given his championship exhibits to the Beloit and Janesville high schools and the teachers' training school of this city for use in experimental work in agriculture this spring.

Waukesha.—Mrs. Eliza Johnson, ninety-five years old, a resident of Hartland for 60 years, died. If she had lived but a week longer she would have reached the age of ninety-six. Mrs. Johnson was a native of England and came almost direct to Waukesha forty-six years ago. She leaves four sons, one of whom is J. H. Johnson, Grand avenue, of this city, and three daughters.

Green Bay.—A warm contest is being waged for the office of judge of the supreme court in the Fourteenth district. Three candidates are in the field to succeed Judge Samuel D. Hastings, who has held the office continuously for about thirty years. They are Victor I. Minahan, R. P. Huntington, Green Bay, and Frank Grass, Sturgeon Bay.

Eau Claire.—When some rolls of paper slipped at the plant of the Delta Paper and Pulp company, John Torach was caught and held captive. His hand was crushed between the rolls, which had a total weight of seven tons. It took 100 men almost an hour to raise the rolls and release him.

Janesville.—John Farnsworth, foreman of the Hugh Shady works sustained an injury to his eye when a steel splinter was thrown from an emery wheel. The splinter, one-fourth of an inch long and one-eighth of an inch in diameter, was removed by the aid of a powerful magnet.

Maiden Rock.—The bus now claimed two victims in the same neighborhood about five miles from here. One of John Isaacson had his hand caught in the machine while sawing wood, and badly mangled. Louis Burkalo had the fingers of his left hand nearly severed and the thumb split in a similar accident.

La Crosse.—As a result of an injury received when he fell and struck his head on a bathtub, Charles Ivens, proprietor of the Hotel Grand, died in the state insane asylum at Mendota. The wound inflicted caused the man to become insane.

Sheboygan.—Christmas trees and wreckage believed to be from the Rouse Simmons were washed ashore at the foot of Michigan avenue. Fifty fifty trees are strewn along the shore, while any number of planks and boards are in sight lying among mammoth cakes of ice.

Racine.—G. C. Peterson, former treasurer of the Racine trade and labor council, was found guilty by a jury of the embezzlement of \$1,000 of the funds of the council. Peterson was treasurer two years ago and invested, as he claims, the money in a co-operative store in which other officers of the council were interested and that the dividends were paid then on their investment. Officers of the council claim that Peterson declared he had turned in a bank check when a settlement was demanded issued a check which was worthless. The court suspended sentence.

La Crosse.—Failure on the part of the employees and employers of the La Crosse Coöperative company and the Gateway City Coöperative company to agree on a wage schedule resulted in the walking out of 35 men.

Manawa.—At the annual meeting of the Manawa Political association the following officers were elected: President, F. F. Hard; vice-president, A. C. Quinby; secretary, A. C. Lindsay; treasurer, K. F. Manthe; show room superintendent, E. O. Cohen; show room secretary, H. E. Shipman.

Waukesha.—The bi-annual meeting of the Wisconsin jurisdiction of the Woodmen of the World will be held in this city in April, 1915. This was decided upon at the meeting of the Woodmen of the World at Oshkosh at which six representatives of the local lodge were present. Phillip Kiehl of this city was elected past head consul junior of the state organization for two years. This was the first meeting of the Wisconsin jurisdiction of the Woodmen lodge, heretofore the states of Wisconsin and Minnesota being combined. Waukesha has the largest lodge in the state.

Burlington.—Rev. Hubert Herrington, pastor of Manhattan Congregational church at New York, has accepted a call to the Plymouth Congregational church of this city to succeed Rev. G. H. March, resigned.

La Crosse.—Richard Goodie stepped off from one track of the Milwaukee road at Dresbach to escape a freight train and was hit by a passenger train coming from another direction. The man was thrown fifty feet and his neck broken. A widow and four small children survive.

Janesville.—John H. Weston, who pleaded guilty of embezzlement from his former employers, the Rock River Woolen mills of this city, in municipal court, was taken to Green Bay, where he will serve one year in the state reformatory.

Madison.—Over fifty men are included in the total of 257 students of the teachers' course at the university, who have applied for certification to enable them to teach in the fall. This is an increase of about 20 over last year.







PLAN TO INSPECT  
DETENTION PLACESSENATE COMMITTEE RECOM-  
MENDS BILL TO EXAMINE  
PENAL INSTITUTIONS

## RECONSIDER GORECKI BILL

Measure Barring Liquor from Schools  
and Churches to Be Amended So  
That Communion Services Will Not  
Be Interfered With.

Madison.—The senate committee on education and public welfare has recommended for passage the Scott bill authorizing the state board of control to appoint one or more agents to assist in the inspection of police stations, lockups, county almshouses and insane asylums and all other charitable and penal institutions except state institutions. Members of the board told the committee that their duties of inspection consume so much time that they were not able to properly perform their other duties.

The committee also decided to recommend for passage the Scott bill, empowering the board to elect a superintendent for the new state hospital for the criminal insane and authorizing such superintendent to appoint a staff of assistants with the approval of the board.

Reconsideration was granted of the vote by which the Gorecki bill forbidding the sale of liquor on church and school grounds was passed by the assembly last week. The bill will be passed by the assembly at least and probably by the senate in a form which will meet the object for which the bill was introduced, the prevention of the sale of liquor at school entertainments. The reconsideration of the bill was granted for the sole purpose of so amending the bill that there could be no question that wine for the sacrament could be used in churches. The amendment to the bill will probably exempt churches from the provisions of the measure with a proviso, however, that where churches and parochial schools are located on the same tract of land, any liquor used on the ground must be kept in the churches and not allowed in the school house.

The Scott bill which provides for the licensing of automobiles according to horsepower was passed by the assembly. This bill provides that a minimum license of \$5 shall be paid on each automobile and that charges of 25 cents per horsepower for each additional horsepower exceeding twenty horsepower. By this method of charging license fees persons owning motor horsepower machines would pay \$15.

## RED PINES FOR RESERVES

20,000 Young Trees Placed at Sparta  
as Experiment—May Extend to  
Northern Cut Over Lands.

La Crosse.—Twenty thousand red pine transplants have been sent to Sparta by the department of agriculture at Washington to be used in the reforestation of the military range. This is the second shipment to be sent to be used in the reforestation experiment being made by the government in Wisconsin. In the experiment on the military reservation proves successful the reforestation work will be extended to thousands of acres of the cut over forest lands in the northern part of the state.

Wreck Evidence Found.  
Sheboygan.—The finding of many Christmas trees in the waters of Lake Michigan before this city by fishermen causes the owners of the boats to think that Rouse Simmons, which was lost in the lake just before last Christmas, went to the bottom in the vicinity of this city. Nearly 100 of the trees were found floating in the lake and many of these were brought to this city by the fishermen. Parts of a large ship were also found and brought into port.

Oppose Land Commission.  
Spooner.—At the annual meeting of the North Wisconsin Farm Land association here strong resolutions were adopted condemning house bill 584, recently introduced in the assembly, creating a land and rural betterment commission to regulate the land ownership of the state.

Sawmill Man Loses Mind.  
Marquette.—John Simon, a former well to do sawmill man and farmer of Florence county, has been adjudged insane and taken to the state asylum at Oshkosh.

Teach Auto Driving.  
Madison.—Classes in the operation and management of automobiles and motors have been established in several localities throughout the state under the auspices of the university extension department.

Mailman Travels Fast.  
Manitowish.—John Houghton, a mail carrier out of this city, has traveled 107,000 miles during his fourteen years of service, according to records he has kept.

Will Dedicate Solid Shaft.  
La Crosse.—A monument to the soldiers who fought in the civil war will be unveiled and dedicated in Oak Grove cemetery by Wilson-Crowell post, G. A. R., on Memorial day. The monument will cost \$1,700.

Killed While Walking Home.  
Sheboygan.—Fred Flosbach, aged 42, a farmhand, was killed by a way-freight near Newton, while walking along the railroad track to his home from the village.

Baraboo River Is High.  
Baraboo.—According to records covering a period of sixty years, the Baraboo river has broken all records for high water. Inmates of several farm houses in the valley have been rescued by boats. Some stock is drowned.

KING GEORGE OF  
GREECE IS SLAIN  
BY AN ASSASSINMonarch of Hellenic Na-  
tion Is Murdered While  
With His Troops at  
Salonika.

## SLAIN BY SOCIALIST

Head of Greeks Assassinated  
While Walking Street Accom-  
panied by Friend—Shot  
From Behind.

## DIES AT NEARBY HOSPITAL

Was Second Oldest of Europe's Royal  
Heads—Oldest Son of Christian  
IV, of Denmark and Allied by Blood  
or Marriage With the Leading  
Crowned Heads.

London, March 19.—The news of the assassination of King George of Greece, of which has been pouring into London from various European capitals, was officially confirmed by a message received by Queen Alexandra at Marlborough house. It was from Prince Nicholas, at Salonika, where the murder was committed, and briefly stated that King George was assassinated while walking the streets of Salonika and died half an hour after receiving the fatal wound.

On hearing the news Queen Alexandra collapsed, falling in a deep swoon. Her condition caused her attendants and physicians the deepest concern. She was carried to her sleeping apartment, where it was said that she was in a serious condition. According to information which has been received from a friend, the assassin, who is called Skina, declared when arrested that he had killed the king because he had refused to give him money which he had asked for.

Skina is said to belong to a Socialist organization at Volos.

A private message received here by a prominent Greek is as follows:

Killed While Walking Street.

Salonika, March 19.—His majesty King George of Greece was assassinated while walking the street accompanied by a friend. Two men, unnoticed, emerged suddenly from a nearby house just after his majesty and his companion had passed and crept up stealthily behind the king. When but a few inches away one of these men drew a pistol and fired point blank at the king.

The king's attention having been attracted by the close proximity of the two men, his majesty had half turned around, the movement being made just in time to receive the discharge full in the breast.

"Exclaiming, 'I am shot!' his majesty sank to the ground without a further word.

The noise of the shot attracted immediate attention. Almost instantly people came running from every direction, little dreaming the identity of the victim.

King Dies at Hospital.

"The king, who quickly became unconscious, was gently lifted by many hands and taken to a nearby hospital, where he died in a few minutes."

Other messages received privately confirm the details of these details. One message adds that the people of Salonika are wrought up to an intense pitch by the murder and there is some probability of them taking the law into their own hands.

King George and Queen Mary received the news at Windsor castle, where they are now in residence. Both were deeply grieved.

The dead king was Queen Alexandra's favorite brother and was a well-known figure to London crowds.

Founder of New Dynasty.  
London, March 19.—Half a century has passed since the day—March 13, 1863—when the Greek national assembly at Athens, at the suggestion of the great powers of Europe, elected Prince William George of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glücksburg second son of the duke of Schleswig-Holstein and brother of Queen Alexandra, to be king of the Hellenes.

Prince William George was only eighteen years old and a midshipman in the British navy when he was offered the throne of Hellenes. The former ruler, King Otto I., who was a Bavarian prince, was dethroned by a revolution in 1862 and the provisional government by the ministry was not strong enough to prevent political complications which threatened to undermine the peace of Europe.

The powers recognized the necessity of providing a new ruler for Greece, and the position was offered first to the duke of Edinburgh and then to the duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, but both declined. It was M. de Chandorcy, a French diplomat, who conceived the idea of offering the throne to Prince William George, and the plan was

Candid Salesman.  
A trio of young newspaper men have a bachelor apartment in a New York flat building. As they were seated at breakfast a peddler came to the door with one of those new-fangled kitchen utensils that are so useful in the hands of a demonstrator who doesn't do any cooking himself.

"The lady of the house in?" inquired the peddler.

"Nope. Ain't any," replied the man who answered the knock. "You're at the door of a bachelor apartment."

"What?"

"Oh, I won't show it to you fellows," the peddler replied with a grin. "I'm selling a patent egg beater, stove lighter, and can opener all in one, that the women buy like hot cakes, but you fellows wouldn't fall for it. The thing's a fake."

Strange.  
"Anything remarkable about this town?"

"Well, we ain't after a now deepo."

The way to be nothing is to be nothing—How.

## MRS. SUN YAT SEN



Mrs. Sun Yat Sen, wife of the former provisional president of China, was seriously injured in an automobile accident in Tokio.

promptly approved by England and other powers.

Sent to Matherhead as Punishment.  
The young prince had been sent to the matherhead for punishment. When the emissaries of the powers arrived to offer him the crown. He accepted through his father, and, having been officially declared of age, he made his entry in Athens on October 30 of that year, took the oath and ascended the throne.

Five years later, October 15, 1867, he married the Grand Duchess Olga, eldest daughter of the Grand Duke Constantine of Russia, thus connecting himself by a strong link with one of the most powerful reigning families of Europe.

The Greeks agreed to settle \$225,000 a year upon their new king. England, France and Russia each agreed to add \$20,000 a year for the term of his natural life and about \$50,000 was charged for his benefit on the Ionian islands, which were later ceded to him by Great Britain.

Father of Six Children.

Queen Olga bore him six children, of whom all but the youngest, Prince Christopher, born in 1888, are married. The heir apparent to the throne is Prince Constantine, duke of Sparta, who was born in 1868, and in 1889 was married to Princess Sophia, sister of Emperor William II.

Although King George always showed the greatest devotion to his people and proved himself a faithful and liberal king, neither he nor his family enjoyed great popularity. Many times the continuance of the dynasty was seriously threatened, but King George maintained his dignity and weathered all storms, even the critical period of the disastrous war against Turkey.

The king was born December 24, 1845, as the second son of Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glücksburg, who became king of Denmark in 1863, and Princess Louisa, daughter of King Karl XV. of Sweden and Norway. In baptism the young prince received the name Christian William Ferdinand Adolphus George.

Sketch of Crown Prince Constantine.  
The Crown Prince Constantine, who will succeed King George, is the generalissimo of the Greek army in the field in the Balkan war. He has distinguished himself in fierce fighting and only about ten days ago news came that, at the head of a big force, he had forced the surrender of the important Turkish fortress of Janina, the key to the province of Epirus.

The surrender of this fortress brought 32,000 Turkish prisoners under control of the Greeks, and for his success the crown prince was thanked by the chamber of deputies at Athens, after the premier, Mr. Verizelos, had congratulated him in addressing the deputies.

He was born at Athens on July 21, 1888. The crown prince was the son of King George I. of Greece. The work of the young prince, after he had obtained his majority, was largely devoted to reestablishing the Greek army upon a firm footing.

## CATTLE DIE BY THOUSANDS

Havoc Wrought on Western Ranches  
by Recent Blizzard—Mrs. Oliver  
Harriman Snowbound.

Lincoln, Neb., March 19.—An estimate made following reports received from the storm swept region of the northwest showed at least 17,000 head of cattle had perished in this state. Broken Bow and Alliance in this state.

Rapid City, N. D., March 19.—Travelers with the body of her mother, who died at Hot Springs, Mrs. Oliver Harriman of New York is stalled here in her private car, while Chicago & Northwestern railway officials are making efforts to get a special train through. One of the rotaries is out of commission and with seven locomotives is stalled in a cut mile south of town, where the snow is 40 feet deep for half a mile.

## HYDE JURORS FAIL TO AGREE

Twelve Men Discharged by Judge—  
Third Time Kansas City Doctor  
Has Been Tried for Murder.

Kansas City, March 19.—The third trial of Dr. E. C. Hyde, charged with the murder of Col. Thomas H. Swope, has resulted in a mistrial. The jury, after being out 8 1/2 hours, was unable to reach any verdict, and was discharged by Judge R. E. Porter.

## Deaf-Mutes in Convention.

In the first week of August one of the most remarkable conventions that the world has ever seen took place in Paris, France. Several thousand deaf-mutes, representing almost every country on earth, were gathered together to consider ways and means for the advancement of the interests of those similarly afflicted throughout the world. Speeches were delivered in the sign language of the countries represented, and discussions were carried on which led to the inauguration of a movement for the creation of a universal sign language. "Such strange scenes as a Hindoo, a Turk, an Englishman and a Russian, each in distinctive dress, conversing on an excited and earnest discussion without a single sound were not at all uncommon," says the Christian Herald.

## On the Alert.

Potter—Why didn't you join us on our hunting trip?

Blair—Well, I'm not much of a hunter and I was afraid you might make game of me.

## WILSON REFUSES AID

PRESIDENT DECLINES TO AP-  
PROVE UNITED STATES  
LOAN IN CHINA.

## WILL NOT INVOLVE AMERICA

Chief Executive Declares for the Open Door—Also Comes Out Strongly in Favor of the Budget System in Government Affairs.

Washington, March 20.—In a statement issued from the White House Tuesday President Wilson refused to endorse the request that American bankers participate in the Chinese loan. The president expressed sympathy for the Chinese republic and declared for the open door. The statement follows:

"We are informed that at the request of the last administration a certain group of American bankers undertook to participate in the loan now desired by the government of China (approximately \$125,000,000). Our government wished American bankers to participate along with the bankers of other nations because it desired that the good will of the United States toward China would be exhibited in this practical way, that American capital should have access to that great country and that the United States should be in a position to share with the other powers any political responsibilities that might be associated with the development of the foreign relations of China in connection with her industrial and commercial enterprises. The present administration has been asked by this group of bankers whether it would also request them to participate in the loan. The administration has declined to make such request because it did not approve the conditions of the loan or the implications of responsibility on its own part which it was plainly told would be involved in the request.

"The government of the United States is not only willing, but earnestly desirous of aiding the great Chinese people in every way that is consistent with their untrammeled development and its own immemorial principles.

"The government of the United States is desirous of promoting the most extended and intimate trade relationships between this country and the Chinese republic. The present administration will urge and support the legislative measures necessary to give American merchants, manufacturers, contractors and engineers the banking and other financial facilities which they now lack and without which they are at a serious disadvantage compared with their industrial and commercial rivals. This is its duty. This is the main material interest of its citizens in the development of China. Our interests are those of the open door—a door of friendship and mutual advantage."

President Wilson is in favor of a budget system for the conduct of the government finances. He made public here a letter written January 30, from Trenton to Senator Tillman, expressing the hope that a budget system might be worked out after he got to Washington.

Washington, March 19.—The formal session of congress convened in extra session at noon April 7, was issued Monday by President Wilson. The president's pronouncement was brief and followed form closely. It is stated, merely that "whereas, public interests require" congress would be convened in extra session by order of the executive.

FLASHES  
OFF THE WIRE

London, March 19.—Harry Lewis, a Philadelphia knocker, shot Jack Harrison, England's champion middleweight pugilist, in the third round of their scheduled twenty-round bout at the National Sporting club Monday.

New York, March 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Yoakum of this city and San Antonio, Tex., announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Miss Bertha F. Yoakum, to Francis R. Larkin, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Larkin of New York.

Montgomery, Ala., March 20.—James G. Oakley, president of the state convict department, was arrested here Tuesday, charged with embezzling \$90,000. The orders for his arrest were issued by Governor O'Neal.

East St. Louis, Ill., March 19.—The seventeen-month-old daughter of State Senator John Chamberlin, Jr. of East St. Louis died of concussion of the brain, sustained when the child was dropped by a nurse.

Owensboro, Ky., March 19.—The explosion of the boiler at the sawmill of E. C. Wileman killed Charles McCrady and Ben McCrady and injured Frank McCrady and Wilson.

## HYDE JURORS FAIL TO AGREE

New York, March 21.—The indictment against Jack Sullivan, "king of the newsboys," charging him with complicity in the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the "equating" gambler, was dismissed here Wednesday.

## Noted Author for Suffrage.

Detroit, Mich., March 21.—John Kendrick Bangs, noted author and humorist, announced here Wednesday that he had been converted to the cause of women's suffrage, though until recently he was an "anti."

## Kills Girl and Self After Quarrel.

Macon, Ga., March 19.—W. P. Mize of Sylvester, Ga., shot and killed Miss Clinnie Hall of Gordon, Ga., and then committed suicide Monday afternoon. The two had been engaged, but had quarreled.

## Sets New Racing Record.

Christiania, Norway, March 19.—O. Mathiesen, the Norwegian skating champion, set a new record for 500 meters when he covered the distance in 44 seconds at Hamor Monday evening.

## Woman Swept Over Falls.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 18.—Josephine Kittich, thirty-five years old, who lived at 53 Titus street in this city, was swept over the American falls to her death while sightseeing in Luna park at Niagara Falls Sunday.

## Stefansson's Vessel Sails.

San Francisco, March 18.—The whaler Karluk, which was purchased by Vilhjalmur Stefansson, discoverer of the blonde Eskimos, for a second voyage to the arctic, cleared this port Sunday for Vancouver, B. C.

## CRUISERS TO MEXICO

TWO RUSHED TO COAST ALONG  
GULF OF CALIFORNIA.Navy Department Receives Reports of  
New Reign of Terror in Northwest-  
ern Portion of Republic.

Washington, March 20.—The armored cruisers California and Maryland, now at San Francisco, were ordered by the navy department to sail at once along the coast of the Gulf of California as reports reaching the department stated that a new reign of terror has broken out in northwestern Mexico.

The alarming news came to the department from Real Admiral Southernland, who is on board the Colorado, cruising on the west Mexican coast. His dispatches indicate that there is great uneasiness among forces in Sonora and Sinaloa, the two provinces in rebellion against United States American citizens are reported to be leaving everything behind and fleeing to the coast of the Gulf of California, their point of concentration being Guaymas.

The dispatches to the navy department seem to indicate that there is trouble of a grave character all the way from Acapulco to Guaymas.

Notwithstanding this state of affairs, the United States ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson, at Mexico City, is sending to the department daily dispatches which assert that the Mexican government is able to restore order everywhere.

## BRYAN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Citizens of Commoner's Home Town  
Turn Out En Masse to Do  
Him Honor.

Lincoln, Neb., March 21.—William J. Bryan, secretary of state under President Woodrow Wilson, came to Lincoln Wednesday to celebrate his fifty-third birthday anniversary with his folks at home and be guest of honor at the annual banquet of the Lincoln Bryan club.

From the moment he stepped from his train until the banquet climax late at night when he addressed a course which jammed the Auditorium to its doors, the distinguished son of Nebraska was the central figure of a continuous ovation.

The secretary of state devoted the morning hours to an informal reception at the Lindell hotel where hundreds of his neighbors called to pay their respects. "In line with Secretary Bryan," were Democratic Governor Dumas of Illinois, Hodges of Kansas and Morehead of Nebraska. A luncheon party at the mansion of Governor Morehead, who dined in the afternoon by visit to the state capital, where the premier of the Wilson cabinet and the three governors addressed the state legislature in joint session. Mr. Bryan introduced the governors to the legislators and in a subsequent thirty-minute speech commented on the growth of progressivism and democracy in America.

## \$300,000 ROBBERY IN N. Y.

Robbers Overlook \$500,000 in Jewels  
and Negotiable Bonds Lying  
Close at Hand.

New York, March 18.—The finding of a strange key in the lock of a cellar door at No. 60 Eldridge street Sunday led to the discovery of the big robbery in New York city since the burglary of the Manhattan bank more than a quarter of a century ago. The amount stolen is roughly estimated to be between \$250,000 and \$300,000, while a half million more in jewels and negotiable bonds was not taken.

## M'COMBS TAKES FRENCH POST

Democratic Chairman Delays the  
Sending of His Nomination to  
United States Senate.

Washington, March 19.—The nomination of Chairman William F. McCombs of the Democratic national committee to be ambassador to France was prepared at the White House Monday and it was about to be transmitted to the senate it was withheld at Mr. McCombs' request. Mr. McCombs has decided to accept the post and it is said the delay does not mean a change in his intentions.

## HYDE JURYS IS DISCHARGED

Announces a Disagreement Following  
Deliberations Lasting Over  
Eighty-Six Hours.

Kansas City, Mo., March 19.—The jury which tried Dr. B. Clarke Hyde for the murder of Col. Thomas H. Swope, millionaire philanthropist, came into court at 12:35 p. m. Monday after having been out eighty-six hours and thirty-five minutes, and reported a disagreement and was discharged. The panel stood alone for acquittal, three for conviction.

## Oust Chief of Police Kohler.

Cleveland, O., March 19.—Frederick Kohler is no longer chief of police of Cleveland. The civil service commission found him guilty of gross immorality and straightway discharged him from office Monday.

## Equip Airships With Guns.

Frederichshaven, March 19.—Owing to the success of the recent trials of machine guns on the latest type of Zeppelin airships it was decided Monday to equip all future Zeppelins with these guns.

## Noted Woman Writer Dies.

Denver, Colo., March 18.—Mrs. Ina Marie Porter Ockenden, author of the words to "Dixie," one of the foremost women writers of the south, died in Galveston, Tex. Sunday. She formerly lived here home here.

## Girder's Fall Kills a Workman.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 18.—One workman was killed and three were injured by the fall of an eighteen-ton steel girder from the second story of a foundry building under construction here Saturday.

## Pope Omits Palm Ceremony.

Rome, March 18.—It is customary for the pope to deliver a short address when receiving the palms. However, Pope Pius omitted that ceremony Sunday.

## Three Youths Drowned.

Reading, Pa., March 18.—William and Charles O'xley and Paul Wetter, all aged about eighteen years, were drowned in the Schuylkill river while trying out a new canoe Sunday afternoon.

## LOWERING THE HIGH COST OF LIVING



The New York Railway company of New York city has just opened a store at Eighth avenue and Fifth street for the accommodation of all its employees, in which all groceries and meats can be bought at a whole sale price and at a saving to the buyer of more than 33 1/3 per cent. The upper photograph shows a group of motemen and conductors in the grocery department, buying groceries for which cash must be paid. Below is the meats and provision section of the store.

## "SWINDLER" IS HELD

NEW YORK HAIR IMPORTER CAP-  
TURED ON STEAMER AT  
NEW ORLEANS.

Men Are Charged With Misapplication  
of Funds of Defunct Cincinnati  
Trust Company.

## ARREST ON SHIP IS DRAMATIC

Antone Martinez, Accompanied by  
Three Sons and Two Daughters,  
Taken From Berths of Ship About  
to Sail for Honduras.

New Orleans, March 21.—Anthony and Philip Musica, father and son, human hair dealers in New York, indicted there for defrauding American and European bankers, were arrested here Wednesday aboard the steamer Frut, company's steamship Herodia, about the leave for Central America, after a thrilling pursuit across the country by police and detectives.

The detectives, led astray for several hours by the clever doubling of their quarry, all but missed the fugitives, but traced their baggage aboard the ship in time to accomplish their arrest.

With the elder Musica, a dignified Italian of sixty-eight years, were his son, Philip Musica, aged thirty, two daughters and two other sons. Their attempt, traveling together and closely pursued, to escape from the country perhaps is without parallel in the criminal history of the United States. With success seemingly almost in their reach, they nearly collapsed when the officers forced a way into their staterooms aboard the Herodia.

Miss Louise Musica, a tall, auburn-haired woman, twenty-five years of age; Miss Lucy Grace Musica, one year younger, dark-haired and very slight in figure, and Arthur and George Musica, twenty and nineteen years old respectively, are the daughters and other sons who were accompanying the New York hair dealer in his flight. On Arthur Musica's pockets were United States, English and Italian bills of large denominations, amounting to nearly \$57,000, and hidden in the corner of Miss Louise Musica was \$18,600 more. Approximately \$76,000 in cash was taken from the six Italians. This is believed to be part of the \$1,000,000 they are said to have obtained from American and European banking firms by means of fraudulent invoices for consignments of human hair. In addition, life insurance policy for \$230,000, fully paid up, was found on the person of Philip Musica.

The six were lodged in the parish jail prison and the cash put in safe-keeping in the New Orleans National bank, awaiting the pleasure of the New York city authorities.

## New German Balloon Wrecked.

Karlsruhe, Germany, March 21.—Another new German military dirigible of the rigid Zeppelin type was destroyed near here Wednesday. The dirigible broke in two when landing in a storm on the aviation ground.

## Defeat Bachelor Tax.

Boston, March 21.—Celibacy will not be penalized in this state at present. The legislative committee on taxation reported adversely in the bill providing for an annual tax of \$5 on bachelors Wednesday.

## Famous Paris Police Chief Resigns.

Paris, France, March 21.—Louis Lepine, head of the Paris police for 20 years, resigned office Wednesday. He has been called "the most famous chief of police in the world," and has figured in many cases.

## Opera Singer Very Ill.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 20.—Miss Grace Van Studdiford, the opera singer, was sent to the Eye and Ear hospital Tuesday evening, seriously ill. She was overcome by an attack of acute laryngitis.

## New Hampshire Hits Suffrage.

Concord, N. H., March 20.—Woman suffrage is dead in New Hampshire, at least for a year, the house of representatives having killed the woman suffrage bill by a vote of 235 to 98 Tuesday.

## 21 Hurt in Train Wreck.

Marshalltown, Ia., March 20.—Twenty-one persons were injured, three of them possibly fatally, when a passenger train on the Minneapolis & St. Paul railroad was derailed six miles north of here Tuesday.

## 80 Ships Sink; Many Die.

Hamburg, Germany, March 20.—Eighty ships, mainly small craft, were sunk off this city in a southwesterly hurricane Tuesday. Twelve deaths have been reported, and it is thought the list may reach fifty.

SEEN AND HEARD  
IN WISCONSIN

Beloit.—Representatives of the student publication of Beloit, Ripon and Carroll colleges and Lawrence university had a meeting in this city and organized the Wisconsin State College Press association. Exchange of letters and a close exchange of news bearing upon college activities were agreed upon. Officers were elected as follows: President, Miss Mary Potter, editor of the Lawrence of Lawrence university; vice-president, Editor Southern of the Ripon College Days; secretary, H. L. Adams, editor of the Beloit College Round Table; treasurer, Miss Stotter, editor of the Carroll College Echo. Meetings of the association will be held in connection with the oratorical contests.

Janesville.—Novas Raessler of the lot, secretary of the Rock County Mammal association, who received prizes on his pedigree oats, wheat, barley and rye, at five grain shows, including the International grain show at Columbia, S. C., during the past winter, has given the championship exhibit to the Beloit and Janesville high schools and the teachers' training school of this city for use in experimental work in agriculture this spring.

Waukesha.—Mrs. Eliza Johnson, ninety-five years old, a resident of Hartland for 60 years, died. If she had lived but a week longer, she would have reached the age of ninety-six. Mrs. Johnson was a native of England and came almost direct to Waukesha county 60 years ago. She leaves four sons, one of whom is J. H. Johnson, Grand avenue, of this city, and





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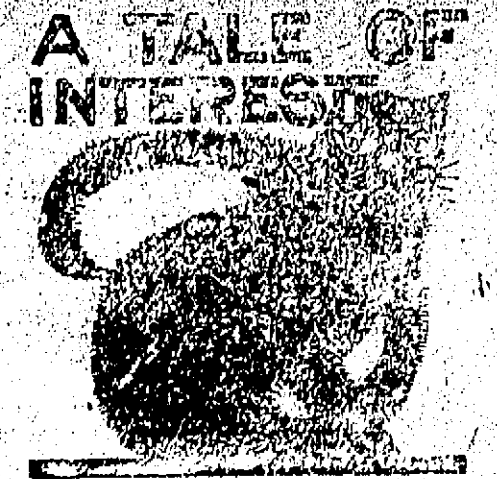
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One black Horse, eight years old, 1600 lbs., Bay Horse, 8 years old, 1650 lbs., Black Horse, 6 years old, 1400 lbs., Gray Horse, 4 years old, 1400 lbs., Brown Horse, 8 years old, 1250 lbs., Black Horse, 7 years old, 1700 lbs., Black Horse, 4 years old, 1100 lbs., Registered Bay Stallion Trotter, 1550 lbs., 4 years old, 1200 lbs., Registered Bay Stallion Trotter, 1550 lbs., 4 years old, 1100 lbs., one 8 year old Cow, one Binder, Mower, Gang Plow, 2 Cultivators, Wagon, 3 Set of Harness, and a quantity of smaller articles.

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**SHERIFF.**  
Misses Jessie Leroux and Jennie Evans were Marshfield visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Davis were called to Wales, Waukesha County, last Thursday by the death of Mr. Davis' sister.

The pupils of State Graded school are enjoying a week's vacation, instead of two weeks as first announced.

The town census will be held at the town hall on Thursday afternoon, March 27th. It is hoped that a good attendance will be present.

Miss Mina-Jorgensen, principal of the graded school, departed for her home at Spring Lake, Friday.

Mr. Mitchell of Dodgeville, visited in our burg lately.

Mrs. H. Jantz went to Wales last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Griffith.

Rev. Brown of Marshfield officiated at the Presbyterian church, and Rev. Byran of Stevens Point at the Methodist Mission last Sunday.

The Northwest Academy has closed for a week's vacation, and the pupils are enjoying themselves.

Mrs. Wilson departed for Madison on Monday where she will visit during her vacation.

Quite a windstorm took place last Sunday evening accompanied by heavy rain.

Mr. Wenzel of Stratford visited in our midst recently.

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**RUODOLPH.**  
Our first severe storm visited us Sunday evening. The horse sheds belonging to the Hotel Grandshaw were destroyed. Considerable damage was done to the Oliver Akey house and Lee had a narrow escape from being struck by a board which went thru the window. Boughman's woodshed was also blown down. Quite a little damage was done at the Ed. Peterson and Delbert, son of Mr. J. P. Peterson were confined in the Second Moravian church at Grand Rapids last Sunday.

Geo. T. Rowland of Grand Rapids spent one day last week with John Peterson Sr.

Sever Hansen spent one day with his mother Mrs. Lena Hansen last week.

Bernice Peterson spent the past week at Grand Rapids visiting with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. Heiser.

Miss Eleanor Stuffed of Grand Rapids spent a couple of days at the Geo. Knutson home, the guest of her sister Miss Irma.

Mrs. Ole Larson of Grand Rapids spent a couple of days with her sister Mrs. Lena Hansen.

A number of people from the Ten Mile creek attended the Swedish ceremony at the Union Church Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society met last Thursday with Mrs. Geo. Knutson with a very large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson, Mr. J. P. Peterson and Mrs. Wm. Anderson attended the Confirmation services at Grand Rapids Sunday.

Joe Johnson departed for Kilmour last Saturday.

Miss Edna Brown departed for her home at Grand Rapids after spending a week with her mother Mrs. J. P. Peterson.

**SIGEL.**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Pearson entertained at coffee on Wednesday afternoon having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Gust Anderson, Mrs. L. Johnson, Mrs. A. Sandberg and the Messrs. Charlie, John, Lewis and August Oman.

Mrs. G. Anderson and son Elmer, came home on Tuesday from Grand Rapids where they have been visiting relatives for a few days.

Victor and Oscar Kronholm have gone to Plainfield where they will be employed.

Peter Moberg and wife left on Wednesday for Grand Rapids where they will reside in the future.

Robert Berg returned to his home at Grand Rapids on Friday after spending a week with relatives here.

A brand new baby arrived at the Elmer Petot home last week.

David Anderson left on Friday for Duluth and Knife River, Minnesota, where he will visit relatives for a time.

Miss Helen Hills and Frank Swanson were married at the home of the bride's parents on March 18th. The bride was attended by Miss Lavena Merrick while Clarence Hills acted as groomsmen. The best wishes of all their friends is extended to them for a long and happy wedded life.

Mrs. A. C. Sandberg, Mrs. L. Johnson, August, John, Lewis and Charlie Oman departed on Friday for their home at Duluth, Minn., after a pleasant week's visit at the Gust Anderson home.

Miss Ina Kronholm left last week for Plainfield where she will be employed.

Miss Jella Henriksen visited friends at Vesper last week.

Lee Nordstrom of the Rapids spent Sunday here.

Miss Jennie Larson of Vedum visited at the Jens Larson home for a few days last week.

The members of the B. Y. P. S. will hold a "Hard Times" social at the Carl Kronholm home on Friday, March 28th, to which all are invited.

Mrs. M. Crunsted of your city spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Messrs and Messdames Jensen and Carlson and the Messdames Ellen and Olga Carlson and Dagny Jensen of Rudolph attended services here Sunday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nystrum was christened last Sunday. He received the name of Arnold Valdemar.

**FOOD CANNOT IN MAMMALS.**  
A Frenchman who has made an examination of the food canal in mammals has measured the length of it in 230 specimens that belong to 30 species. He has found that the ratio between the length of the canal and the length of the body is smallest in the carnivorous animals, larger in those that are called omnivorous, and largest in the vegetarians. In other words, the length of the food tract seems to vary with the digestibility of the kinds of food that are consumed. This rule holds good in birds as well as animals. In man the alimentary canal is about 30 feet long, usually from five to six times the length of the body.

**What He Did.**  
"What have you ever done for me?" complained the young man whose father had chided him for his inability to get ahead. "Well, I kept your mother from naming you Percy or Clarence."

**Wonder Cave of Arizona.**  
One of the most wonderful caves in the world has been found in southern Arizona. Unnamed, unexplored, and almost unknown, it gives evidence of being a rival to the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, whose fame is world wide. Only a few have dared to enter it to view its grandeur and to study the marvelous handiwork of the Almighty in its construction. This cave lies at the foothills of the Huachuca mountains, about 40 miles northeast of Nogales, Santa Cruz county. Exploring parties have entered and spent days inside, but none has discovered the end. They report passageways, rooms and chambers innumerable.

**Working the Change.**  
"Do you make a different speech every time you are called upon for an address?" asked the beautiful maiden. "Yes, replied the political candidate, "I always shape my remarks to suit the audience I am addressing."

"How in the world can you think of new things to say every day?" "Oh, I don't get anything new. If I did, the people wouldn't understand what I was trying to get at. I merely blame my stories on Lincoln sometimes, while at other times I let my hearers understand that Mark Twain was the author of them."

Her Memory Finally Failed.  
J. M. Callwell, in "Old Irish Life," tells a story of a young peasant woman, Sally Sweeny, who used to do shopping for her family when they lived in the country.

She could neither read nor write, yet she never made a mistake with any of the measures that were intrusted to her. Once, however, her memory did fail her. One of the ladies of the family had ordered her to bring back a yard of some color of satin, and the unaccustomed word slipped out of Sally's recollection. But she did not allow herself to be beaten without an effort to recall the word, so she went into the principal shop in Galway still thinking hard.

"What is that ye call the Devil," she asked, "whin it's not devil that ye say to him?"

"Is it so that you would be meaning?" "The very wan," said Sally delighted. "An ye'll give me a yard."

**New Roofing Material.**  
A new roofing material is steel coated with lead.

**A Happy Outlook.**  
In Detroit they tell of a young man who, although he made a great deal of money, was always in debt because of his extravagance. Not long ago, however, he wooed and won a young woman of great wealth, and immediately things took a rosy hue.

During the honeymoon the bride ventured to ask hubby whether the fact that she had money made any difference to him.

"To be sure it does my love," was the unexpected response.

Whereupon the wife was a bit alarmed. "Why, darling," continued the husband, "it is such a comfort to know that if I should die you'd be provided for."

"And if I should die?" added the bride.

"Then, darling," was the reply, "I'd be provided for."—Lippincott's.

**REMINOTON.**  
Gust Sanger of Nekoosa and Robt. Sanger of Grand Rapids were guests at the parental home here from Friday until Sunday.

Miss Rose Sanger is entertaining her brother Ben Adams, and niece Dollie Redding of Milwaukee this week.

Miss Lena Rutk of Tomah spent Easter with her parents here.

Gust Walizer will depart for his home in Pittsburg, Penn., on Thursday, March 27th, after spending the winter with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kotke. He will be missed among the young folks as he was well liked by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

Miss Agnes Keenan, teacher in district No. 2, spent Friday and Saturday at her home in Dexterville.

Miss Rose Sanger gave a party on Sunday evening in honor of her brother, but owing to the severe rain-storm it was not largely attended.

**NEW ROME.**  
Sunday was rather a bad day for the ladies new Easter bonnets.

E. A. Finch is brooding his two term of bonnets and is being assisted by Wm. Roberts of Monroe Center.

School began Monday with a Training school scholar from your city as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Shipway of Big Rapids, spent Easter Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Levi Thomas.

Poster Batley, candidate for County Superintendent of Adams County, was in our neighborhood last week.

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Rev. N. Johnson of Wausau preached a Swedish sermon in the Union church, Easter Sunday.

Dorothy Lundberg returned to Grand Rapids to continue her school work after spending a week's vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lundberg.

Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson, and Delbert, son of Mr. J. P. Peterson were confined in the Second Moravian church at Grand Rapids last Sunday.

Geo. T. Rowland of Grand Rapids spent one day last week with John Peterson Sr.

Sever Hansen spent one day with his mother Mrs. Lena Hansen last week.

Bernice Peterson spent the past week at Grand Rapids visiting with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. Heiser.

Miss Eleanor Stuffed of Grand Rapids spent a couple of days at the Geo. Knutson home, the guest of her sister Miss Irma.

Mrs. Ole Larson of Grand Rapids spent a couple of days with her sister Mrs. Lena Hansen.

A number of people from the Ten Mile creek attended the Swedish ceremony at the Union Church Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society met last Thursday with Mrs. Geo. Knutson with a very large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson, Mr. J. P. Peterson and Mrs. Wm. Anderson attended the Confirmation services at Grand Rapids Sunday.

Joe Johnson departed for Kilmour last Saturday.

Miss Edna Brown departed for her home at Grand Rapids after spending a week with her mother Mrs. J. P. Peterson.

**SIGEL.**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Pearson entertained at coffee on Wednesday afternoon having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Gust Anderson, Mrs. L. Johnson, Mrs. A. Sandberg and the Messrs. Charlie, John, Lewis and August Oman.

Mrs. G. Anderson and son Elmer, came home on Tuesday from Grand Rapids where they have been visiting relatives for a few days.

Victor and Oscar Kronholm have gone to Plainfield where they will be employed.

Peter Moberg and wife left on Wednesday for Grand Rapids where they will reside in the future.

Robert Berg returned to his home at Grand Rapids on Friday after spending a week with relatives here.

A brand new baby arrived at the Elmer Petot home last week.

David Anderson left on Friday for Duluth and Knife River, Minnesota, where he will visit relatives for a time.

Miss Helen Hills and Frank Swanson were married at the home of the bride's parents on March 18th. The bride was attended by Miss Lavena Merrick while Clarence Hills acted as groomsmen. The best wishes of all their friends is extended to them for a long and happy wedded life.

Mrs. A. C. Sandberg, Mrs. L. Johnson, August, John, Lewis and Charlie Oman departed on Friday for their home at Duluth, Minn., after a pleasant week's visit at the Gust Anderson home.

Miss Ina Kronholm left last week for Plainfield where she will be employed.

Miss Jella Henriksen visited friends at Vesper last week.

Lee Nordstrom of the Rapids spent Sunday here.

Miss Jennie Larson of Vedum visited at the Jens Larson home for a few days last week.

The members of the B. Y. P. S. will hold a "Hard Times" social at the Carl Kronholm home on Friday, March 28th, to which all are invited.

Mrs. M. Crunsted of your city spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Messrs and Messdames Jensen and Carlson and the Messdames Ellen and Olga Carlson and Dagny Jensen of Rudolph attended services here Sunday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nystrum was christened last Sunday. He received the name of Arnold Valdemar.

**Working the Change.**  
"Do you make a different speech every time you are called upon for an address?" asked the beautiful maiden. "Yes, replied the political candidate, "I always shape my remarks to suit the audience I am addressing."

"How in the world can you think of new things to say every day?" "Oh, I don't get anything new. If I did, the people wouldn't understand what I was trying to get at. I merely blame my stories on Lincoln sometimes, while at other times I let my hearers understand that Mark Twain was the author of them."

Her Memory Finally Failed.  
J. M. Callwell, in "Old Irish Life," tells a story of a young peasant woman, Sally Sweeny, who used to do shopping for her family when they lived in the country.

She could neither read nor write, yet she never made a mistake with any of the measures that were intrusted to her. Once, however, her memory did fail her. One of the ladies of the family had ordered her to bring back a yard of some color of satin, and the unaccustomed word slipped out of Sally's recollection. But she did not allow herself to be beaten without an effort to recall the word, so she went into the principal shop in Galway still thinking hard.

"What is that ye call the Devil," she asked, "whin it's not devil that ye say to him?"

"Is it so that you would be meaning?" "The very wan," said Sally delighted. "An ye'll give me a yard."

**New Roofing Material.**  
A new roofing material is steel coated with lead.

**A Happy Outlook.**  
In Detroit they tell of a young man who, although he made a great deal of money, was always in debt because of his extravagance. Not long ago, however, he wooed and won a young woman of great wealth, and immediately things took a rosy hue.

During the honeymoon the bride ventured to ask hubby whether the fact that she had money made any difference to him.

"To be sure it does my love," was the unexpected response.

Whereupon the wife was a bit alarmed. "Why, darling," continued the husband, "it is such a comfort to know that if I should die you'd be provided for."

"And if I should die?" added the bride.

"Then, darling," was the reply, "I'd be provided for."—Lippincott's.

**REMINOTON.**  
Gust Sanger of Nekoosa and Robt. Sanger of Grand Rapids were guests at the parental home here from Friday until Sunday.

Miss Rose Sanger is entertaining her brother Ben Adams, and niece Dollie Redding of Milwaukee this week.

Miss Lena Rutk of Tomah spent Easter with her parents here.

Gust Walizer will depart for his home in Pittsburg, Penn., on Thursday, March 27th, after spending the winter with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kotke. He will be missed among the young folks as he was well liked by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

Miss Agnes Keenan, teacher in district No. 2, spent Friday and Saturday at her home in Dexterville.

Miss Rose Sanger gave a party on Sunday evening in honor of her brother, but owing to the severe rain-storm it was not largely attended.

**NEW ROME.**  
Sunday was rather a bad day for the ladies new Easter bonnets.

E. A. Finch is brooding his two term of bonnets and is being assisted by Wm. Roberts of Monroe Center.

School began Monday with a Training school scholar from your city as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Shipway of Big Rapids, spent Easter Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Levi Thomas.

Poster Batley, candidate for County Superintendent of Adams County, was in our neighborhood last week.

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Correspondents are requested to write on one side of the paper only, and to sign their names to communications. It does not matter if you write every week, but your name may, as it will not be published.

**GET OUT AND VOTE.**  
Every man in Grand Rapids who is a citizen of the state should go to the polls next Tuesday and vote on the question as to whether or not the city should buy the electric plant. There has been considerable talk on the subject thru the columns and on the streets, and a little while of the mark, it has been shown that people about town were interested in the subject. It is possible that the articles referred to may have a tendency to interest more people and thus get out a larger vote.

It does not make such an awful difference which way the election goes, probably, as we doubt if anybody will be robbed very much whether the city owns the plant or whether it remains a co-operative proposition as in the past. We do not think the money used in buying the plant would be well expended, as there are many ways that the same amount could be put to better use, such as buying up streets, widening thoroughfares, building a wider or another bridge, and many other things.

However, if the people get out and vote, showing that the result is the will of a majority of the people, that is all anybody can ask.

**LIGHTNING RODS PROTECT**  
State Fire Marshall Gives Figures and Instructions for Installing.

Last year some editors made light of our issuing a lightning bulletin in the cold month of March. Their answer came in a lightning loss in Wisconsin of \$84,950.00 in April and \$148,655.00 in May; so another warning to rod buildings ought not to come amiss at this time.

All state fire marshals know that lightning rods do protect. The experience of insurance companies furnishes further proof.

Thirty Ohio Mutuals in 1911 paid lightning losses as follows: On buildings rodded \$23,551, on buildings not rodded \$29,985.05. Thirty-four Pennsylvania Mutuals paid lightning losses as follows: On buildings rodded \$116.80, on buildings not rodded \$77,166.30.

Our department records for the last half of 1912 show a fire loss due to lightning, as follows: Three fires on rodded buildings, \$4,105.00, 226 fires on buildings not rodded, \$324,880.00.

The facts in the three cases where lightning struck rodded buildings are these: First, the rods were up 20 years. The owner knew nothing of their condition or depth of grounding. Second, a firm was rodded. A silo was then erected near the barn, but not rodded. Lightning struck the silo and fire was communicated to the barn. Third, there was but one ground rod, and that went to a depth of 3 1/2 feet only.

These instances rather prove than refute the fact that lightning rods protect.

Lightning in this country destroys more property than matches, sparks and kerosene together, and more than any other cause, except defective fuses. It kills two and one-third times as many people as railroads kill passengers.

No large fire loss can be prevented so easily and cheaply as that from lightning.

**Installation.**  
MATERIALS.—Use a copper cable rod or one of galvanized iron or steel. Iron is not as good a conductor as copper, but it dissipates the energy of the flash better and is less likely to cause side flashes. Copper cables should weigh three ounces or more per linear foot. All points should be tipped with non-corroding metal.

**LOCATION.**—Rods should extend from moist earth, over the building, to moist earth on the other side. Placing rods at diagonally opposite corners is best. On the building rods should be run along the ridge. Avoid placing rods near chimneys, cupolas and ventilators should have separate points. Points should not be more than twenty feet apart. A rod should run direct from an outside chimney to the ground.

**METAL WORK.**—Roof, gutters, hay carriers and all other exterior metal work should be connected with the rods or grounded separately.

**FASTENINGS.**—Rods should be fastened with clips of the same material as the rod, and held at a distance of one inch or more from the roof to prevent leaves from lodging. Never use so-called insulators.

**GROUNDING.**—All rods should be grounded to a depth of not less than eight feet—more, if necessary to reach permanent moisture. Lightning seeks underground water beds. You can never overdo the matter of grounding. A copper or steel ground plate is helpful.

**WIRE FENCES.**—Grounding wire fences at every sixth post would prevent the heavy loss of live stock.

**MAKES.**—There are about twenty good makes of rods. We cannot and do not recommend any particular make.

March 22nd, 1913.  
T. M. PURTELL,  
State Fire Marshall.

**Empty Places.**  
A well-esteemed preacher in a New England community that was rather notorious for the singleness of its inhabitants suddenly announced his resignation, and the deacons immediately sought him out for his reasons. "My decision has been brought about by the negligence of my congregation," announced the divine.

"Why, sir," protested one of his hearers. "I can't see how you can accuse us of negligence. The church is crowded every Sunday."

"Oh, yes," agreed the preacher, "but what I accuse them of is contributory negligence."—Lippincott's.



# THE OLD PARTISAN

By OCTAVE THANET

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"The Man of the Hour," "The Lion's Share,"  
"By Inheritance," etc.

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A Story of the Republican Convention of 1896.

SAT so far back in the gallery that my opinion of my delegate friend dwined with every sentence. Nevertheless my unimportant seat had its advantages. I could see the whole assembly and watch the throbbing of the Republican pulse. If I could not hear its heart-beats, therefore, perhaps, I studied my neighbors more than I might study them under different circumstances.

The great wooden hall had its transient and unsubstantial character stamped on every bare wooden joist and unclimbed nail. It was gaudy with flags and bunting and sheep portraits. There were tin banners crookedly marshaled on the floor, to indicate the homes of the different states. A few delegates, doubtless new to the business and over-zealous, were already on the floor, but none of the principals were visible. They were perching and arguing in those committee rooms, those hotel lobbies and crowded hotel rooms where the real business of the convention was already done and neatly prepared for presentation to the nation. I had nothing to keep me from studying my neighbors. In front of me sat two people who had occupied the same seats at every session that I was present, a young girl and an old man. The girl wore the simplest of dress, of pretty blue and white, with snowy cuffs and collar, and her green straw hat was decked with blue cornflowers, from which I inferred that she had an eye on the fashions. Her black hair was thick and glossy under the green straw. I thought that she had a graceful neck. It was very white. Whither than her face, which kept a touch of sunburn, as if she were often out in the open air. Somehow I concluded that she was a shop-girl and rode a wheel. If I were wrong it is not likely that I shall ever know.

The old man I fancied, was not so old as he looked; his delicate, haggard profile may have owed its sunken lines and the dim eye to sickness rather than to years. He wore the heavy broadcloth of the rural politician, and his coat sagged over his narrow chest as if he had left his waistcoat at home. On his coat lapel were four old-fashioned Blaine badges. Incessantly he fanned himself.

"It can't be they ain't going to nominate him today," he asked rather than asserted, his voice breaking on the higher notes, the mere wreck of a voice.

"Oh, maybe later," the girl reassured him.

"Well, I wanted to attend a Republican convention once more before I died. Your ma would have it I wasn't strong enough; but I knew better; and I knew better, didn't we, Jenny?"

She made no answer except to pat his thin, ribbed brown hand with her soft, white, slim one; but there was a world of sympathy in the gesture and her silent smile.

"I wonder what your ma said when she came down-stairs and found the letter, and us gone," he cackled with the garrulous glee of a child recounting successful mischief; "made me think of the times when you was little and I stole you away for the circus. Once, your pa thought you was lost—member? And once, you had on your school dress and you'd tore it—she did scold you that time. But we had fun when they used to let me have money, didn't we, Jenny?"

"Well, now I earn money, we have good times, too, grandpa," said Jenny, smiling the same tender, comprehending smile.

"We do that; I don't know what I would do 'cept for you, lamble, and this is—a grand time, Jenny, you look and listen; it's a great thing to see a nation making its principles and its president—and such a president!"

He half turned his head as he spoke, with a mounting enthusiasm, thus bringing his flushing face and eager eyes no longer into the focus of his next neighbor's bright gray eyes. The neighbor was a young man, not very young, but hardly to be called elderly, of an alert bearing and kindly smile.

"I think him a pretty fair man myself," said the other with a jocular understatement; "I come from his town."

What was there in such a simple statement to bring a distinctly anxious look into the young girl's soft eyes? There it was; one could not mistake it.

"Well!" said the old man; there was a flattering deference in his voice. "Well, well. And—maybe you've seen him lately?" The quavering tones sharpened with a keener feeling; it was almost as if the man were inquiring for some one on whom he had a great stake of affection.

"How did he look? Was he better, stronger?"

"Oh, he looked elegant," said the Ohio man, easily, but with a disconcerting side glance at the girl whose eyes were following him ever since he was run the time Bob Ingersoll nominated him. Said the old man, who sighed as if relieved, "I was at that convention and heard the speech—"

"Ah, that was a speech to hear," said a man behind, and two or three men edged their heads nearer.

The old Republican straightened his bent shoulders, his winter-stung features softened and warmed at the manifestation of interest, his voice sank to the confidential undertone of the narrator.

"You're right, sir, right; it was a magnificent speech. I can see him just as he stood there, a stoutish, good-looking man, smooth-faced, his eye straight ahead, and an alternate that was next me—I was an alternate; I've been an alternate four times; I could have been more than me are wanting; I'm willing to fight in the ranks! But I wished I had a vote, a free vote that day, I tell you. The alternate near me, he says, 'You'll hear something fine now; I've heard him speak.'"

"You did, too, I guess."

"We could hear from the first minute. That kindler fixed our attention. He had a mellow, rich kind of voice that melted into our ears. We found ourselves listening and liking him from the first sentence. At first he was as quiet as a summer breeze, but presently he began to warm up, and the words flowed out like a stream of jewels. It was electrifying; it was thrilling, sir; it took us off our feet before we knew it, and when he came to the climax, those of us that weren't yelling in the aisles were jumping up and down on our chairs! I know I found myself prancing up and down on my own hat on a chair, swinging somebody else's hat and screaming at the top of my voice, 'God, sir! there were men there on their feet cheering their throats out that had to vote against Blaine afterward—had to, because they were there instructed—no more free will than a checked trunk!' The light died out of his face. 'Yes, sir, a great speech; never so great a speech, whoever made it; but it did no good, he wasn't nominated, and when we did nominate him we were cheated out of our victory. Well, we'll do better this day.'"

"We will that," said the other man, heartily. "McKinley—"

"You'll excuse me," the old man struck in with a deprecating air, yet under the apology something fiercely eager and anxious that glued the hearer's eyes to his quivering old face—"You'll excuse me, I—I am a considerable of an invalid and I don't keep the run of things as I used to. You see, I live with my daughter, and you know how women folks are, fretting and fretting like that make you sick, and my girl she worries so, me reading the papers. But I got a shock once, an awful shock—the shivers shiveringly and his dim eyes clouded—"and I worried her seeing me dead. Hadn't ought to, I don't worry Jenny here, who often gets me a paper, quiet like; but you know how it is with women—it's easier giving them their head a little—and so I don't see many papers, and I kinder dropped off. It seems queer, but I don't exactly sense it about this McKinley—is he running against Blaine or jest for vice?"

The girl, under some feminine pretext of dropping and reaching for her handkerchief, threw upward a glance of appeal at the interlocutor. Hurriedly she stepped into the conversation. "My grandfather read a false report about—about Mr. Blaine's sickness, and he was not well at the time, and it brought on a bad attack."

"I understand," said the listener, with a grave nod of his head and movement of his eyes in the girl's direction.

"But about McKinley?" the old man persisted.

"He's for vice-president," the girl announced, her eyes fixed on the hesitating man from Canton. I have often admired the intrepid fashion in which a woman will put her conscience at a moral hedge while a man of no finer spiritual fiber will be straining his eyes to find a hole through which he can crawl.

"McKinley is not opposed to Blaine, is he?" she asked the man.

"The Republican party has no name that is more loved than that of James G. Blaine," said the man, gravely.

"That's so, that's so!" the old partisan assented eagerly. "To my mind he's the logical candidate."

The Canton man nodded, and asked if he had ever seen Blaine.

"Once, only once. I was on a delegation sent to wait on him and ask him to our town to speak—he was in Cincinnati! I held out my hand when my turn came, and the chairman nearly knocked the breath out of me by saying, 'Here's the man gave more to our campaign fund and worked harder than any man in the country, and we all worked hard for you, too.' Well, Mr. Blaine looked at me. You know the latent way he looks. He has the most wonderful eyes, look right at you and seem to bore into you like a gimlet. I felt as if he was looking right into my soul, and I tell you I was glad, for I choked up, and I couldn't find a word, not a word, and I was ready and fluent enough in those days, too, I can tell you, but I stood there filling up, and squeezed his hand and gulped and got red, like a fool. But he understood. 'I have heard of your loyalty to Republican principles, Mr. Painter,' says he, 'in that beautiful voice of his that was like a violin; and I burst in—I couldn't help it—'it ain't loyalty to Republican principles, it's to you.' I said that right out. And he smiled, and said he, 'Well, that's wrong, but it ain't for me to quarrel with you there, Mr. Painter; and then they pushed me along; but, twice while the talk was going on I saw him look my way and caught his eye, and he smiled, and when we were all shaking hands for good-by he shook hands with a good firm grip, and said he, 'Good by, Mr. Painter; I hope we shall meet again.'"

The old man drew a long sigh. "Those few moments paid for everything," he said. "I've never seen him since. I've been sick and lost money. I ain't the man I was. I never shall be again."

At the present time there are at the Bootbay hatchery 13,529 seed lobsters from which eggs will be secured.

The season for collecting the seeders extends into the spring of the year, so that it is safe to say that fully two-thirds as many lobsters will have already added to the number on hand. The average number of eggs secured from the mother lobster is 20,000. The percentage of fertility of these are as high as that of the eggs secured from the mother lobster.

Reckoning on this basis, the number of seeders now at the hatchery will produce 270,000,000 lobsters. The number yet to be collected will very nearly total to 500,000,000.

Rubber Plant Oil for Umbrellas.

A vegetable oil used in making paper umbrellas in Japan is pressed out of the seeds of the rubber plant. This oil is made in the various islands

famed for oil and seeds from these plants. Sandy ground is favored for the cultivation of the plant, and the oil is extracted from the seeds by presses. The yield of seeds is estimated at 20 bushels per acre. The annual production throughout Japan amounts to 350,000 bushels, from which over a gallon of oil per bushel is extracted. The oil before it is used is boiled and then cooled until it can be applied by hand to umbrellas with a piece of cloth or waste. No machinery or tools are used in applying the oil.

When the oiling is complete the umbrellas are exposed in the sun for about five hours. This oil is also used in making the Japanese lanterns, artificial leather, printing ink, lacquer, varnishes, oil paper, and paints.

Idleness Again in Good Odor.

It is now declared that the idle are not necessarily lazy, and that hustling conversation does not necessarily prove one is making good among the busy bees.

Happily Married.

"Are they happily married?"

"Rather; they've had the same cook for twelve months."—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

Better Than She Is Painted.

Tommy (at the opera)—Is it true that Lulu Larsen is two-faced?

Artie (studying Lulu through his glass)—She is probably no more what she appears to be on the surface; but I don't think she is as bad as she is painted.—Puck.

Recognized.

A ticket man in a certain Euclid avenue opera house answered the old pan-handling thus, recently:

"Do you recognize the profession?"

"Whereas a seedy-looking hamfatter, butting his way into the line of buyers."

"Yes," answered the man at the window, "do but if you slip out of the line, I won't give you away."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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## MEASURE HELPS THE WAGE EARNER

Bill Will Make Semi-Monthly Payments Obligatory.

COMMON DRINKING CUP GOES

Measure is Passed by Assembly Banning Alleged Disease Carrier From Public Places—Robert Hubbard Delivers Address.

Madison.—Payment of wages semi-monthly is provided for in a bill that is being drafted by the assembly committee on labor, of which Assemblyman George W. Bingham of Adams county is chairman. So many measures were introduced in the assembly embracing so many phases of the wage question that it was necessary for the committee to work out and offer a bill embodying the most important idea in each proposed law. The committee bill, which will be presented to the house in a few days, provides first that wages shall be paid immediately upon the discharge or resignation of an employee. This part of the measure is of particular importance to labor camps, where it is claimed that wages have not been paid when the men were discharged. It also guards against the payment at a different place than where the men are employed.

(Agricultural Employees Excluded.)

Another important feature of the combination bill is that the semi-monthly payment feature does not apply to agricultural employees or to employers who hire less than three employees. The bill permits employers making contract for the payment of wages weekly or daily. The employer is made liable for damages for failure to pay the employee at the time specified in the law. Willful neglect to pay is made a misdemeanor punishable by fines and penalty for imprisonment prescribed in the general act on this subject. It applies to all corporations. Assemblyman Manning's bill, to appropriate \$400 for the purchase of badges to be worn by members of the legislature has been killed by the assembly without dissent. The Hubbard bill to require all contracts with real estate men for the sale of land to be in writing was killed.

Holmes Bill Advanced.

Three bills introduced by Assemblyman Holmes of Dane county have been advanced by the assembly. The bill providing for an appropriation of \$5,000 for the training of teachers is the most important of the three. The measure will assist in training teachers in teaching the oral method of instruction now in use in the 23 local oral deaf schools maintained by the state. Another Holmes bill prescribing the details of a state flag, and the bill for the compensation of convicts who have served time in prison, but who have been later found to be innocent, was ordered engrossed.

The Viebahn bill, which requires that every applicant for a third grade teacher's certificate must have an education equivalent to a two-year high school course, was passed by the assembly. Batabrook's bill, extending the punishment for assault with intent to murder or rob from fifteen to thirty years, has been advanced to third reading. The McComb bill banishing the common drinking cup passed after a few sarcastic remarks from Assemblyman Hansen, who thought it was too great a favor to the manufacturer of the paper cup.

Hubbard Addresses Legislature.

Elbert Hubbard of East Aurora, N. Y., appeared before the assembly on invitation, and complimented the legislature on the work which Wisconsin was doing to bring the schoolhouse closer to the people. He paid a high tribute to the laws which have been enacted in Wisconsin making the schoolhouses a social center, and said that the work along this line being done by Prof. E. J. Ward of the University of Wisconsin would be memorable.

Highway Bill Recalled.

Senator Browne's bill appropriating \$470,000 for the state highway fund, to meet the extra demands of the counties was recalled from the governor and passage given to a substitute providing that the amount shall not be available until it shall be needed for highway purposes. This action was taken because, if the money is drawn now from the original fund, as called for in the original bill, serious embarrassment in meeting current state expenses would ensue.

The Millar bill providing that county superintendents shall give an accounting monthly of their work was killed by the assembly, after it had been engrossed.

The senate has passed the Glenn bill authorizing cities to build recreation and amusement halls.

Wisconsin Society Elects.

The twenty-eighth annual meeting of the Wisconsin Mutual Loan and Building society was held in Milwaukee, and the following officers were elected:

President, A. E. Manchester, vice-president, J. L. Hennessy; secretary, F. J. O'Connor, treasurer, W. Alexander; directors, George C. Allen, J. C. Crowley, E. J. Mansur, E. Thomas, M. M. Vedder, A. W. Blair, Martin Stark, M. H. Tooley and A. E. Bierbach.

The membership is made almost entirely of employees in the shops of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. In the twenty-six years of its existence it has made loans to members of the amount of \$418,540.

Milwaukee Man is Elected.

The annual meeting of the Wisconsin Archeological society was held in Milwaukee and the following officers elected:

President—Elmer B. Cather, Milwaukee; Vice-Presidents—Dr. S. A. Barrett, Milwaukee; Ernest N. Wagner, Madison; Towne L. Miller, Ripon; Dr. Orrin Thompson, Neenah; Joseph Ringelstein, Jr., Milwaukee; Directors—Dr. Lewis Sherman, Dr. E. J. W. Notz, Milwaukee.

New State Patents.

Edward H. Blehl, Randolph, combined hook and fork; Charles P. Rosser, Milwaukee, cooping; Frederick H. Denke, Maunton, soldering furnace; William D. James, Fort Atkinson, carrier; Henry N. Landau, Horicon, junction box; Carl E. Lipman, Beloit, engine starting mechanism; Eugene J. Lombard and O. L. Krogstad, Hudson, hose coupling; Frank J. Matchetto and C. Mouks, Milwaukee, carpet cleaner; Samuel W. Merrick Madison, amalgamator.

Monthly Fire Loss.

The February fire loss in Wisconsin, according to the monthly report of State Fire Marshal T. M. Purcell, was \$215,555, arising from 219 fires. The insurance carried aggregated \$620,955. Chimneys were the most prolific fire cause, fifty-four such fires causing damage of \$46,685. Stoves were responsible for forty-three fires, with a loss of \$14,620. A defective oven caused a \$10,000 loss. A dynamite explosion resulted in a loss of \$770.

Printers' Roller company, Milwaukee; capital, \$35,000; Incorporators, C. S. Utz, W. P. Allen, R. R. Utz. Maple Valley Cheese and Creamery company, Maple Valley; capital, \$1,000; incorporators, William Steckman, Jr. and five others. Arrowing Bowling and Out club, Milwaukee; no capital stock; incorporators, James Delezer, A. Schroeder, August Manteloff. The United States Tire company, a New York corporation with \$500,000 capital and \$25,000 interest in Wisconsin, filed a statement to do business in the state.

## LAST WOOD CHURCH

Office Built 900 Years Ago Still Stands in England.

Ancient Building of Greensted Was Constructed of Oak Timbers and Is Believed to Have Sheltered the Making of St. Edmund.

London.—In many of the northern countries of Europe, as well as in England, there is abundant evidence of the use of wood in the middle ages for the construction of sacred buildings. "There was a time," says the Venerable Bede, "when there was not a stone church in all the land, but the custom was to build them all of wood." The earliest cathedral at York and the Church of Lindisfarne, in Holy Island, were built of wood. The best account of these early wooden churches is to be found in Professor Nicholson's book on the "Norman Conquest." In Norway some 24 out of 1,000 or more of the original stave-churches still exist. In England there remain only one such wooden church, the nave of which is a genuine example of Norman timber building—Greensted, in Essex.

The Little Church of Greensted lies a mile west of Ongar, and about 30 miles northeast of London, and is almost screened from observation of the traveler approaching from either direction by tall trees. It is in all probability due to its exceptionally sequestered position, as well as to its small size and insignificant endowments, that it has escaped unharmed during 900 years of eventful and tumultuous history.

The accredited tradition connects the foundation of the church with the history of St. Edmund, the martyred king of East Angles, who was murdered by the Danes in 870 A. D., in the twenty-ninth year of his age. The life and death of this king formed the theme for the songs of many early English chroniclers. When the saint's body was brought from London to Edmonsbury in 1913 a temporary resting place was afforded the remains at Greensted, where the monks hastily erected a wooden chapel to give them shelter.

There is much, however, to suggest that the fabric is of still older date. If the building had been erected for the reason assigned, it surely would have been dedicated to St. Edmund, rather than to St. Andrew, as is the case. Moreover, the method of construction is not that which was usual in the eleventh century, when churches of stone were common, but belongs rather to an age anterior by one or two centuries. The structure also shows no sign of hasty erection.

State officers and the chairman of the senate and assembly finance committees were told by State Treasurer Johnson that on March 1, 1913, after deducting the university and normal school tax, there was but \$1,153,151.64 in the treasury as compared with \$3,355,659.28 in the same date last year.

The conference was called at the suggestion of Treasurer Johnson in view of the fact that the legislature has made an extraordinary appropriation of \$470,000 for the purpose of meeting the demand by counties on the highway aid fund.

The railroads will pay no more taxes until August, when they will add some \$1,900,000 to the treasury. There will be some inheritance taxes, but probably not as much as in 1912. The income tax, Mr. Johnson says, will not amount to more than \$150,000 instead of \$300,000 as once predicted.

The capital expenses of the many departments, the maintenance of the institutions and the many other items of necessity, with no great amount of revenue in sight until next August.

At the conference A. R. Hirst of the highway commission said that in all probability none of the \$470,000 appropriated for highway aid would be needed before September.

Arbor day to Be May 2.

Governor McGovern named May 2 as Arbor day. The governor's proclamation follows:

"In harmony with approved usage, I, Francis E. McGovern, governor of the state of Wisconsin, hereby name Friday, the second day of May, 1913, as Arbor and Bird day, to be observed with appropriate exercises in all the schools of Wisconsin."

"Arbor day was established to instruct children in the economic value of flowers and birds, to instill in their hearts a love of nature, and to encourage them in making home and school surroundings more attractive. Kindness abundantly justifies us in continuing the custom."

"While thus engaged in beautifying the landscape, protection from fire should not be overlooked. Every nook and corner should be cleared of all refuse and inflammable material, so as to prevent the spread of fire. With this object in view I designate this day also as Fire Prevention day."

In 1848 a thorough restoration of the church became necessary. The oak walls, which had been laid out on the earth with some rough flat put under at intervals, had become so rotten as to let the upright timbers drop through. The greater part of the old oak timbers were preserved, but it was necessary to cut some five inches from the lower ends owing to the ravages made by the wood beetle. A course of bricks was placed beneath, and on this the oak trunks still rest. For many centuries the cleft logs or trunks had been covered with plaster within and without, which had doubtless been instrumental in preserving them from the weather. This plaster now was removed. The trunks forming the nave number 26 on the north side and 26 on the south. The total length of the nave is 30 feet, and the width 14 feet. The roof was originally, no doubt, of simple thatch. To this primitive structure was added a chancel or altar late.

That now existing, which may date from the reign of Henry VII., probably replaced one of the Norman period, and relics of this earlier flint chancel may be seen underneath the present brickwork. A tower and spire covered with shingles of the west end are of fifteenth century date.

To celebrate the nine hundredth anniversary of the founding of this church, the rector and parishioners propose to hold a special commemorative service on St. Alban's day, and erect a large arch as a tangible memorial of the historic event.

Hard and sound though beaten by the storms of nearly a thousand winters, the ancient trunks of Greensted church yet promise to endure a thousand more.

Weds After Mother's Funeral.

Danville, Pa.—Believing that postponed marriages are unlucky, Miss Sophia "Rumh, immediately after attending the funeral of her mother here, and while still wearing her mourning, was married to Frank R. McCarren.

Fireman Accused of Arson.

Ashland, Pa.—Harry Swartz, a fireman, was arrested, charged with being implicated in recent fire of incendiary origin. Swartz denies the charge.

## AROUSES BOSTON GIRLS' IRE

Professor Says That He Believes Not One of Them Has Perfect Foot.

Boston.—Boston women are sincerely indignant because men who have set themselves up as experts have declared "no Boston girl has a perfect foot." Dr. E. H. Bradford says so. He is head of the Harvard Medical school and is an expert on the structure of the human foot. He says: "I do not believe there is a girl in all Boston with a perfect foot."

















**YOU** don't mind it so much if some youngster does put it over on you April Fool's day—anyone can laugh at a good joke. But you'd have a different story if someone sold you a part cotton suit for all wool. There isn't any fooling about that.

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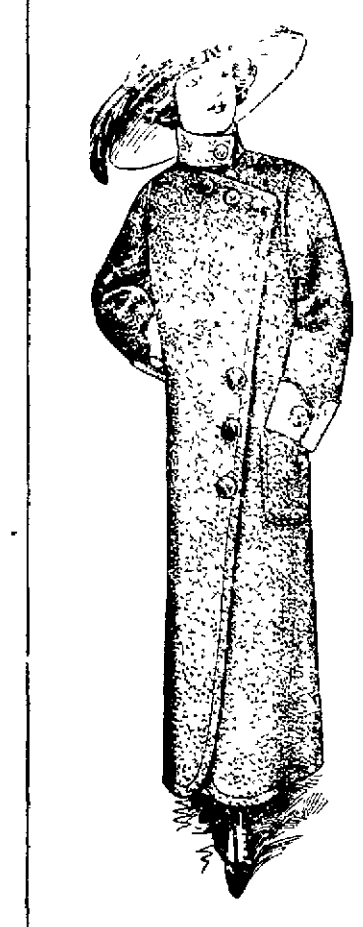
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### A Monkey Raid

A few years ago the municipal authorities of Mino-Machi, Japan, spent a good deal of money in laying out a public park, and adorning it with a magnificent monkey house, in which a large number of apes were installed for the amusement and education of the natives.

On New Year's eve this year, during the absence of the night watchman, who has gone to the celebrations, the monkeys dug a hole thru the floor of their house and escaped. The "goal-delivery" was discovered in due course, and a search instituted, but without success. On New Year's day, however, when the guests arrived at the district commissioner's office to pay their respects to that official, they found the building in possession of a band of over 100 monkeys, who not content with destroying the records and books, had eaten up the fruit and sweetmeats which had been prepared for the commissioner's friends.

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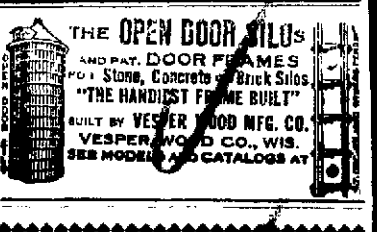
## Auction Sale!

The undersigned offers for sale at public Auction at the Steenburg Ranch, one mile north-west of Bancroft, the following property, sale to begin at one o'clock p. m. Wednesday, April 2, 1913.

One black Horse eight years old, 1600 lbs., Bay Horse, 8 years old, 1650 lbs., Black Horse, 6 years old, 1400 lbs., Gray Horse, 4 years old, 1400 lbs., Brown Horse, 4 years old, 1250 lbs., Black Horse, 7 years old, 1700 lbs., Black Horse, 4 years old, 1100 lbs., Registered Bay Stallion Trotter, 5 years old, 1400 lbs., one 8 year old Cow, one Binder, Mower, Gang Plow, 2 Cultivators, Wagon, 3 Set of Harness, and a quantity of smaller articles.

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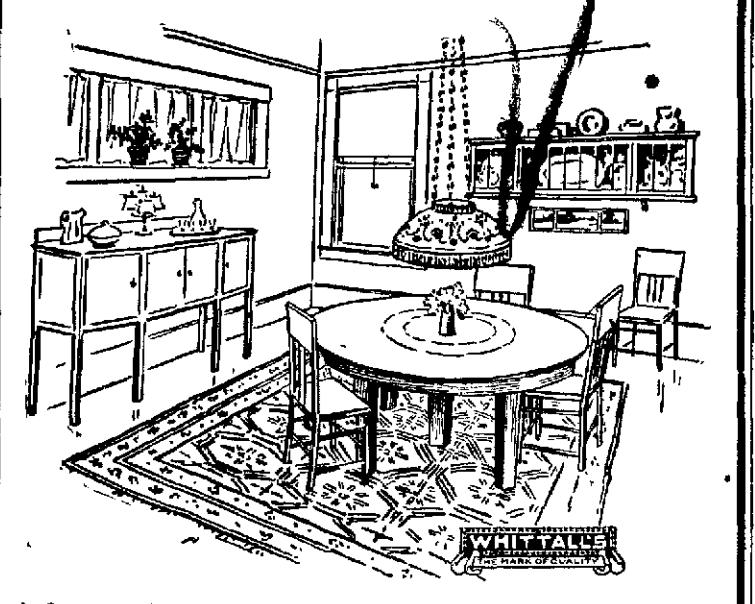
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### SHERRY.

Misses Jennie Leroux and Jennie Evans were Marshallfield visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Davis were called to Wailes, Waukegan County, last Thursday by the death of Mr. Davis' sister.

The pupils of State Graded school are enjoying a weeks vacation, instead of two weeks as first announced. The town caucus will be held at the town hall on Thursday afternoon, March 27th. It is hoped that a good attendance will be present.

Miss Mina Jorgensen, principal of the graded school, departed for her home at Burlington Friday.

Mr. Mitchell of Dodgeville visited in our burg lately.

Mrs. H. Jantz went to Wailes last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Griffith.

Jas Shidell visited in our midst recently.

Rev. Brown of Marshallfield officiated at the Presbyterian church and Rev. Bryan of Stevens Point at the Methodist Mission last Sunday.

The Northwest Academy has closed for a weeks vacation, and the pupils are enjoying themselves.

Mrs. Wilson departed for Madison on Monday where she will visit during her vacation.

Quite a windstorm took place last Sunday evening accompanied by heavy rain.

Mr. Wenzel of Strafford visited in our midst recently.

### Food Canal in Mammals.

A Frenchman who has made an examination of the food canal in mammals has measured the length of it in 230 specimens that belong to 36 species. He has found that the ratio between the length of the canal and the length of the body is smallest in the carnivorous animals, larger in those that are called omnivorous, and largest in the vegetarians. In other words, the length of the food tract seems to vary with the digestibility of the kinds of food that are consumed. This rule holds good in birds as well as animals. In man the alimentary canal is about 30 feet long, usually from five to six times the length of the body.

### What He Did.

"What have you ever done for me?" complained the young man whose father had chided him for his inability to get ahead. "Well, I kept your mother from naming you Percy or Clarence."

### Wonder Cave of Arizona.

One of the most wonderful caves in the world has been found in southern Arizona. Unnamed, unexplored, and almost unknown, it gives evidence of being a rival to the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, whose fame is world wide. Only a few have dared to enter it to view its grandeur and to study the marvelous handwork of the Almighty in its construction. This cave lies at the foothills of the Huachuca mountains, about 40 miles northeast of Nogales, Santa Cruz county. Exploring parties have entered and spent days inside, but none has discovered the end. They report passageways, rooms and chambers innumerable.

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### RUDOLPH.

Our first severe wind storm visited us Sunday evening. The horse sheds belonging to the Hotel Grandshaw were destroyed. Considerable damage was done to the Oliver Akey house and Lee had a narrow escape from being struck by a board which went thru the window. Boughman's woodshed was also blown down. Quite a little damage was done at the Ed. Warner place and Carl Kronholm's silo was blown over and the barn was moved four feet off the foundation.

The new firm of Kujawa & Wilkins opened their doors to the public on Wednesday, March 19th and will continue to sell the same as before the A. J. Kujawa store was burned down. They have a nice new line of groceries and dry goods. A new building was erected to do temporarily until the new one will be erected. Work will begin as soon as the ground is dry enough. It will be 60x70 feet, two stories high, and basement with elevator for hauling freight. We wish them success.

Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Hassel spent the week in Chicago.

Chas. Brys was called to Minnesota Tuesday night on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Peter Codere lost a valuable mare Tuesday.

Joseph Decker of Grimsby arrived the past week and on Monday began making cheese for the Rudolph Creamery Co.

Mrs. Matthe Holthusen of Stevens Point who has been visiting Mr. N. C. Badtke was called to the home of her mother in South Rudolph where she spent the past week and on Tuesday she returned to her home in Stevens Point.

Mr. Streblew lost a valuable mare recently and a couple of days later he lost another horse.

Julius Krobach and sister-in-law Miss Lena Freund were shopping in our city Wednesday.

Rev. F. J. Feldman of Nekoma assisted Rev. VanSledright Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hawkins are rejoicing over the arrival of a twelve pound baby girl born March 18th.

Paul Zimmerman, Jr., who has been very sick with typhoid pneumonia, is reported to be a little better.

Adam Zimmerman bought a team of horses from Mr. Vajin one day last week for which he paid \$470.

Mrs. Peter Krommenaker, Jr., who has been very sick in the Wausau hospital, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Livornash of Wausau came down Saturday evening to spend Sunday at the Louis Livornash home.

Mrs. Delight Livornash and grandchildren came down from Wausau Saturday noon for a short visit.

Miss Armetta Dade returned to her school duties in our city Monday noon after spending last week at home.

Miss Minnie Myers was shopping in our city Saturday.

N. C. Badtke and daughter Gladys were shopping in our city Friday.

Irene Gloten is spending a few days at the Curtis Crutten home in Bron Albert Jacoby who is conductor on the street car in Milwaukee, is spending a few days at home.

Nick Ratelle departed Tuesday night on a business trip to Delavan, Wis.

Mr. Cummins of Junction City was a business caller here Monday.

Nick Ratelle drove to Stevens Point Tuesday to attend the funeral of his old friend Ed King, who died at his home in Tomahawk Saturday morning, after a five weeks illness.

Messames Aug. Jacoby and Clarence Blankenship were shopping in our city Monday.

Robert Plant of New London spent several days last week with his sister Mrs. Alex Garrow.

Grandma Golen who spent the winter here with her son John, and in Nekoma with her daughter, departed Thursday for her home in Cloquet, Minn.

Sam Golen has returned to his home in Cloquet, Minn., after an extended visit here.

Lee Akey bought a farm in the town of Carson from his father and he expects to live there this summer.

John Weyers was circulating a petition last week to get the post office.

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Rev. N. Johnson of Wausau preached a Swedish sermon in the Union church Easter Sunday.

Dorothy Lundberg returned to Grand Rapids to continue her school work after spending a weeks vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lundberg.

Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson, and Delbert, son of Mr. J. P. Peterson were confirmed in the Second Moravian church at Grand Rapids Easter Sunday.

Geo. T. Rowland of Grand Rapids spent one day last week with John Peterson Sr.

Revert Hanson spent one day with his mother Mrs. Lena Hansen last week.

Berniece Peterson spent the past week at Grand Rapids visiting with her grand-parents Mr. and Mrs. G. Helmer.

Miss Eleanor Staffeld of Grand Rapids spent a couple of days at the Geo. Knutson home, the guest of her sister Miss Irma.

Mrs. Ole Larson of Grand Rapids spent a couple of days with her sister Mrs. Lena Hansen.

A number of people from the Ten Mile creek attended the Swedish ceremony at the Union Church Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society met last Thursday with Mrs. Geo. Knutson with a very large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson, Mrs. J. P. Peterson and Mrs. Wm. Anderson attended the Confirmation services at Grand Rapids Sunday.

Joe Johnson departed for Killebourn last Saturday.

Miss Edna Brown departed for her home at Grand Rapids after spending a week with her mother Mrs. J. P. Peterson.

### SIGEL.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pearson entertained at coffee on Wednesday afternoon having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Gust Anderson, Mrs. L. Johnson, Mrs. A. C. Sandberg, and the Messrs. Charles John, Lewis and August Oman.

Mrs. G. Anderson and son Elmer came home on Tuesday from Grand Rapids where they have been visiting relatives for a few days.

Victor and Oscar Kronholm have gone to Plainfield where they will be employed.

Peter Mohrberg and wife left on Wednesday for Grand Rapids where they will reside in the future.

Robert Berg returned to his home at Grand Rapids on Friday after spending a week with relatives here.

A brand new baby arrived at the Elmer Plot home last week.

David Anderson left on Friday for Duluth and Knife River, Minnesota, where he will visit relatives for a time.

Miss Helen Hills and Frank Swanson were married at the home of the bride's parents on March 18th.

The bride was attended by Miss Lavena Merrick while Clarence Hills acted as groomsmen. The best wishes of all their friends is extended to them for a long and happy wedded life.

Mrs. A. C. Sandberg, Mrs. L. Johnson, August, John, Lewis and Charles (Oman) departed on Friday for their home at Duluth, Minn., after a pleasant weeks visit at the Gust Anderson home.

Miss Ina Kronholm left last week for Plainfield where she will be employed.

Miss Ella Henriksen visited friends at Vesper last week.

Lee Nordstrom of the Rapids spent Sunday here.

Miss Jennie Larson of Vedum visited at the Jens Larson home for a few days last week.

The members of the R. Y. P. E. will hold a "Hard Times" social at the Carl Kronholm home on Friday, Mar. 28th, to which all are invited.

Mrs. M. Crumsted of your city spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Messrs and Messames Jensen and Carlson and the Misses Ellen and Olga Carlson and Dagny Jensen of Rudolph attended services here Sunday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nystrum was christened last Sunday. He received the name of Arnold Valdemar.

### REMINGTON.

Gust Sanger of Nekoma and Robt Sanger of Grand Rapids were guests at the parental home here from Friday until Sunday.

Miss Rose Sanger is entertaining her brother Ben Adams, and niece Dollie Rydberg of Milwaukee this week.

Miss Lena Rutz of Tomah spent Easter with her parents here.

Gust Walzer will depart for his home in Pittsburg, Penn., on Thursday, March 27th, after spending the winter with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kotke. He will be missed among the young folks as he was well liked by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

Miss Agnes Keenan, teacher in district No. 2, spent Friday and Saturday at her home in Dexterville.

Miss Rose Sanger gave a party on Sunday evening in honor of her brother, but owing to the severe rain-storm it was not largely attended.

### NEW ROME.

Sunday was rather a bad day for the ladies new Easter bonnets.

E. A. Finch is breaking his two team of horses and is being assisted by Will Roberts of Monroe Center.

School began Monday with a "Trusting school scholar from your city as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Shipway of Big Falls, spent Easter Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Levi Thomas.

Poster Batesy, candidate for County Superintendent of Adams County, was in our neighborhood last week.

The snow and rain will certainly make the roads terrible again.

The friends of Miss Lillie Webb will be pleased to hear that she is on the gain again.

Loren Finch made a business trip to the county seat on Tuesday last. The windmill on the Fred Thomas farm was blown down by the wind Sunday night.

### ARPIN.

A Hookstra purchased two horses this week from Fred Strauss and one from parties unknown.

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Advertising Rates—For display matter at rate of 2 cents an inch in the Tribune. The columns of the Tribune are 24 inches long, making a one column advertisement cost \$2.50 for one insertion. Additional insertion cost at the same rate. All local notices, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all notices of entertainments where an admission fee is charged will be charged at 1 cent per line.

Correspondents are requested to write on one side of the paper only, and to sign their names to communications. It does not matter if you write very weak, when your name appears, as it will not be published.

### GET OUT AND VOTE.

Every man in Grand Rapids who is a citizen of the state should go to the polls next Tuesday and vote on the question as to whether or not the city should buy the electric plant. There has been considerable discussion on the subject of the purchase of the local power, and while some of it may have been a little wide of the mark, it showed that people about town were interested in the subject. It is possible that the articles referred to may have









**YOU** don't mind it so much if some youngster does put it over on you April Fool's day—anyone can laugh at a good joke. But you'd have a different story if someone sold you a part cotton suit for all wool. There isn't any fooling about that.

**Hart Schaffner & Marx**  
clothes are absolutely all wool, or all wool and silk. There isn't any April 1st business about that.

**Johnson & Hill Company,**  
Clothing Department on Main Floor.

## Systematic Saving

Hundreds of persons in Grand Rapids have become systematic savers who a few years ago had not even considered this important matter. Many are now in safe and comfortable circumstances. ASK THEM IF IT PAYS TO SAVE. Our Saving Department, which pays a moderate but SURE RATE OF INTEREST on deposits, is an ideal place for the safe-keeping of your accumulations. Our Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits of \$225,000.00 is back of our depositors, with total resources of a Million and a Half.

**Wood County National Bank**  
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We solicit and appreciate small accounts.

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## Ready For Spring

Our spring stock in the Dress Goods and Silk Sections is ready for your inspection and is more complete than ever.

We show many pretty Coatings, especially in the popular shades of blue, also White Bedford Cords, Serges and Diagonals per yard from **25c to \$2.50**

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These hose are heavier and more durable than most silk hose.

New Coats up from \$5.98  
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GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN.



## A TALE OF INTEREST

But it's a short one we have here for you. The grocer that has the best interests of his customers at heart—who does business in the modern, broad way, carries and recommends

### Victoria Flour.

His profits on Victoria aren't as large as on some flours, but he retains his trade and sells far more of this flour because it's one of the finest flours you can sell. Your grocer will get it if he hasn't it.

### Grand Rapids Milling Co.

### Kellner Coal Co.

### Coal and Wood

Don't Forget US when you need anything in the line of fuel  
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### GOOD HEALTH

Is reflected in person who couple a careful, wholesome diet with the moderate use of an invigorating, healthful food beverage like

### GRAND RAPIDS BEER

The ruddy good nature manifest in those who indulge in an occasional glass of beer, like **Grand Rapids Beer**, is proverbial. They are good natured because they have gained strength, health and vigor from its use. In striking contrast are the pessimistic coffee or tea drinkers and the optimistic beer drinker.

Try our beer. It is the acme of healthful liquid refreshments.

**Grand Rapids Brewing Co.**  
A Home Industry  
Phone 177

### A Monkey Raid

A few years ago the municipal authorities of Mingo-Mach, Japan, spent a good deal of money in laying out a public park, and adorning it with a magnificent monkey house, in which a large number of apes were installed for the amusement and education of the natives.

On New Year's eve his year, during the absence of the night watchman, who has gone to the celebrations, the monkeys dug a hole thru the floor of their house and escaped. The "goal-delivery" was discovered in due course, and a search instituted, but without success.

On New Year's day, however, when the guests arrived at the district commissioner's office to pay their respects to that official, they found the building in possession of a band of over 100 monkeys, who not content with destroying the records and books, had eaten up the fruit and sweetmeats which had been prepared for the commissioner's friends.

### J. R. RAGAN

Licensed Embalmer and Undertaker  
House, phone No. 69, Store 313, Spafford's Building, East Side, John Ermer, Residence, phone No. 435.

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### EQUITABLE FRATERNAL UNION

Meets in Foresters Hall First and Third Thursdays of each month. R. A. Weeks, president; Wm. H. Burchell, secretary.

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### SHERRY.

Misses Jessie Leroux and Jennie Evans were Marshfield visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Davis were called to Wales, Waukesha County, last Thursday by the death of Mr. Davis' sister.

The pupils of State Graded school are enjoying a week's vacation, instead of two weeks as first announced.

The town caucus will be held at the town hall on Thursday afternoon, March 27th. It is hoped that a good attendance will be present.

Miss Mina-Jorgensen, principal of the graded school, departed for her home at Suring last Friday.

Mr. Mitchell of Dodgeville visited in our burg lately.

Mrs. H. Jantz went to Wales last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Griffith.

Jas. Shidell visited in our midst recently.

Rev. Brown of Marshfield officiated at the Presbyterian church and Rev. Bryan of Stevens Point at the Methodist Mission last Sunday.

The Northwest Academy has closed for a week's vacation, and the pupils are enjoying themselves.

Mrs. Wilson departed for Madison on Monday where she will visit during her vacation.

Quite a windstorm took place last Sunday evening accompanied by heavy rain.

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### RUDOLPH.

Our first severe wind storm visited us Sunday evening. The horse sheds belonging to the Hotel Grandshaws were destroyed. Considerable damage was done to the Oliver Akey house and Lee had a narrow escape from being struck by a board which was blown down by the wind.

Damage was also blown down. Quite a little damage was done at the Ed. Warner place and Carl Kronholm's silo was blown over and the barn was moved four feet off the foundation.

The new firm of Kujawa & Wilkins opened their doors to the public on Wednesday, March 15th, and will continue to sell the same as before the fire.

A. J. Kujawa's store was burned down. They have a new line of groceries and dry goods. A new building was recently erected to do temporarily until the new one will be erected.

Work will begin as soon as the ground is dry enough. It will be 60x70 feet two stories high, with a basement and elevator for hauling freight. We wish them success.

Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Hassell spent the week in Chicago.

Chas. Brys was called to Minnesota Tuesday night on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Peter Codere lost a valuable mare Tuesday.

Joseph Decker of Grims arrived the past week and on Monday began making cheese for the Rudolph Creamery Co.

Mrs. Mattie Holthausen of Stevens Point who has been caring for Mrs. K. G. Ratelle was called to the Home Hawkins home in South Rudolph where she spent the past week and on Tuesday she returned to her home in Stevens Point.

Mr. Streibler lost a valuable mare recently and a couple of days later he lost another horse.

Julius Kreibach and sister-in-law Miss Lena Freund were shopping in your city Wednesday.

Rev. Fr. Feldman of Nekosha assisted Rev. VanSever Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hawkins are enjoying over the arrival of a twelve pound baby girl born March 16th.

Paul Zimmerman, Jr., who has been very sick with typhoid pneumonia, is reported to be a little better.

Adam Zimmerman bought a team of horses from Mr. Valin one day last week for which he paid \$470.

Mrs. Peter Krommenaker Jr., who has been very sick in the Wausau hospital, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. and Mrs. Isadore Livernash of Wausau came down Saturday evening to spend Sunday at the Louie Livernash home.

Mrs. Delight Livernash and grand-children came down from Wausau Saturday noon for a short visit.

Miss Arnetta Bade returned to her school duties in your city Monday noon after spending last week at home.

Miss Minnie Myers was shopping in your city Saturday.

N. G. Ratelle and daughter Gladys were shopping in your city Friday.

Irene Golen is spending a few days at the Curtis Crotenau home in Biran.

Albert Jacoby who is conductor on the street car in Milwaukee, is spending a few days at home.

Nick Ratelle departed Tuesday night on a business trip to Duluth, Wis.

Mr. Cummins of Junction City was a business caller here Monday.

Lee Ratelle drove to Stevens Point Tuesday to attend the funeral of his old friend Louie King, who died at his home in Tomahawk Saturday morning, after a five weeks illness.

Mrs. and Mrs. Jacoby and Clarence Blankenship were shopping in your city Monday.

Robert Plant of New London spent several days last week with his sister Mrs. Alex Garrow.

Grandma Golen who spent the winter here with her son John, and in Nekosha with her daughter, departed Thursday for her home in Cloquet, Minn.

Sam Golen has returned to his home in Cloquet, Minn., after an extended visit here.

Lee Akey bought a farm in the town of Carson from his father and he expects to live there this summer.

John Weyers was circulating a petition last week to get the post office building here.

The young people here were quite disappointed in not enjoying themselves at an Easter dance.

### Working the Change.

"Do you make a different speech every time you are called upon for an address?" asked the beautiful maiden.

"Yes, replied the political candidate, "I always shape my remarks to suit the audience I am addressing."

"How in the world can you think of new things to say every time?"

"Oh, I don't get anything new. If I did, the people wouldn't understand what I was trying to get at. I merely blame my stories on Lincoln sometimes, while at other times I let my hearers understand that Mark Twain was the author of them."

### Her Memory Finally Failed.

J. M. Callwell, in "Old Irish Life," tells a story of a young peasant woman, Sally Sweet, who used to do shopping for her family when they lived in the country.

She could neither read nor write, yet she never made a mistake with any of the messages that were entrusted to her. Once, however, her memory did fail her. One of the ladies of the family had ordered her to bring back a yard of some color of satin, and the unaccustomed word slipped out of Sally's recollection. But she did not allow herself to be beaten without an effort to recall the word, so she went into the principal shop in Galway still thinking hard.

"What is that ye call the Devil," she asked, "whin it's not devil that ye say to him?"

"Is it Satan you would be meaning?" asked the astonished draper.

"The very wan," said Sally delighted. "An ye'll give me a yard."

### New Roofing Material.

A new roofing material is steel coated with lead.

### A Happy Outlook.

In Detroit they tell of a young man who, although he made a great deal of money, was always in debt because of his extravagance. Not long ago, however, he won and won a young woman of great wealth, and immediately things took a rosy hue.

During the honeymoon the bride ventured to ask hubby whether the fact that she had money made any difference to him.

"To be sure it does my love," was the unexpected response.

Whereupon wife was a bit alarmed.

"Why, darling," continued the husband, "it is such a comfort to know that if I should die you'd be provided for."

"And if I should die?" added the bride.

"Then, darling," was the reply, "I'd be provided for."—Lippincott's.

### SARATOGA.

Rev. N. Johnson of Wausau preached a Swedish sermon in the Union church Easter Sunday.

Dorothy Lundberg returned to Grand Rapids to continue her school work after spending a week's vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lundberg.

Walter, son



# PROF. SCHWEDER'S REPORT

Same as Read at the Annual School Meeting Held Last Week.

To the Electors of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, assembled at annual school meeting, March 17, 1913.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I herewith present to your consideration this, my fourth annual report as City Superintendent of Schools. This report is not the true annual report as the title implies. The report issued on June 30th of each year to the State Department of Education is the true annual report and must be taken into consideration when comparing the City of Grand Rapids with other cities in matters concerning education. It is recommended that each annual report of June 30th of each year be primary of statistics of enrollment and attendance for the year ending March 15, 1913, is as follows:

Howe School	171	170	341
Irving School	67	61	128
Lowell School	160	125	285
Emerson School	113	90	203
Garrison School	12	9	21
Lincoln School	244	245	489
Total	767	706	1473
ATTENDANCE			
Howe School	159	107	266
Irving School	57	51	108
Lowell School	150	118	268
Emerson School	108	88	196
Garrison School	12	9	21
Lincoln School	212	210	422
Total	698	642	1340
Recapitulation			
Kindergarten	66	43	109
First Grade	84	81	165
Second Grade	81	71	152
Third Grade	78	75	153
Fourth Grade	62	60	122
Fifth Grade	64	63	127
Sixth Grade	64	63	127
Seventh Grade	67	46	113
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First Year	127	117	244
Second Year	67	61	128
Third Year	67	61	128
Fourth Year	42	42	84
Post Graduates	2	2	4
Total 1912-13	288	268	
Total 1911-12	1473	1340	
Total 1910-11	1870	1260	
Gain for Year	103	81	

dition to the large number of tax payers praying for a school house on the west side beyond the C. M. & St. Paul tracks, the fact that in the office of the City Superintendent, it was found that the school building now in use will be a good time to begin the erection of the school building for which ground has already been secured on the corner of 17th and Grand Avenues. We are now using the basement of the Lowell School as a graduation room, but this basement is not a proper place for the young people to assemble many hours of the day. A new place for the Kindergarten children is planned at the Emerson Kindergarten school port at the Emerson Kindergarten building. The Lowell School are held over for one year in the forenoon for those near by and one in the afternoon for those living at a distance. As the C. M. & St. Paul tracks are completed the present situation at the Lowell and Emerson schools would also provide against any accident to children of the lower grade students who are crossing the railroad tracks in order to get to and from school. It is well known that many children have to be watched very carefully by their teachers and railroad employees while the children are going to or from school to avoid possible accidents. It is well known that it is necessary to provide such guards that danger need not be counted upon to be avoided.

Net many years will pass before there will become accommodations for the children living on the south side area in the Packing House district. Such a plan for such a school is being thought of but it is before land becomes so excessive in price that a material purchase of such a site will be made at some future time.

A report of the University Inspector not providing ample space for the University of High Schools, by Professor E. Skinner of the University of Wisconsin, who inspected our high school in February, 1912 reads in part as follows:

Feb. 12, 1912

The above shows an increase of 103 in enrollment and an increase of 81 in actual attendance for the year 1912-13 over that of 1911-12. This increase necessitated an extra teacher in the high school at the beginning of the year and an additional teacher in the City of Grand Rapids at the beginning of the second semester to take care of the overflow in the Third and Fifth grades. All children between 7 and 14 years of age are enrolled in some school or other. Those between 14 and 16 are accounted for, over 90 per cent of them being enrolled in the special courses—so-called vocational courses, in the high school are as follows:

1912-13 1911-12		Gain
Commercial Course	76	47
Domestic Science C.	74	59
Manual Training C.	74	71
Total	224	177
Total enrollment in High School 1911-1912, 269; 1912-13, 288.		
Number pursuing vocational courses, 1911-1912, 177; 1912-1913, 224.		
Percentage of enrollment pursuing vocational courses, 1911-12, 65.8 per cent; 1912-13, 77.8 per cent.		

In addition there are 11 in other courses who have elected bookkeeping. Two of these courses, viz., the Commercial and Manual Training Courses, were recently inspected by University men who are specially qualified for the work. The letters received from the University men in the Grand Rapids High school in these courses rank on a par with that done in any other courses in High Schools.

The letters of inspectors were published in the proceedings of the board meeting, Feb. 10, 1913.

The above shows that last year about 67 out of every 100 high school pupils pursued vocational courses, whereas, this year, about 78 out of every 100 are pursuing such courses. This increase must be noted. It shows that parents recognize the value of such courses in spite of occasional counter agitations.

It does make a difference to a community whether the young people who leave the schools have the preparation to become self supporting and useful members of society at once, if necessary, or whether they become drifters and eventually problems to society. Most of the graduates of the high school have to go to work upon graduation and school is over for the greater number of them. Of the 34 graduates of our high school on July 31, 1912, twelve, namely, have four opportunities to continue their school studies at once, while twenty-two had to go to work either at home, in a store, or factory. Of course, a number enter some higher institution of learning, but the fact remains that the majority of them have to go to work before further education is possible for them.

Then, too, many leave school after four years of age because there are no courses which are adaptable to them, which fact is covered by the term, "nothing to do on the school" on the part of the disappointed boys, and "couldn't learn anything anyway" on the part of the parents and teachers, when such boys learn to the truth. These same boys learn to get into mischief fast enough, proving that they have learning capacity. To be prepared to meet the world is more necessary even to those who for economic reasons are compelled to earn a livelihood for themselves as well as probably for others dependent on them before the completion of even a high school course is possible. It is for the above reasons that I urge the introduction of industrial courses in connection with our vocational courses as suggested by Mr. Crawshaw in his report on our Manual Training.

An employment bureau in the high school is recommended to assist boys and girls who leave upon graduation, or before, to get the kind of position for which they are fitted.

It is recommended that Physical instructors for boys and girls in the high school be provided as soon as possible. The necessity of such physical instructors is due to the fact that any one who observes the bearing and physical development of high school boys and girls.

Medical inspection of schools is working out well. It was due to the fact that Dr. F. X. Pomeroyville, Medical Inspector of Schools, and City Health Officer, have been in the city the time that the schools of this city were free from any threatened epidemic of Diphtheria and small-pox.

Our schools are better now than they have been at any previous time. That does not mean that there is no room for improvement, for no system is perfect. At the beginning of the school year, there was a change of only five teachers in the grades and four in the high school. Frequent changing of teachers does not make for progress. That is demonstrated by the progress of such communities as Page County, Iowa, and Winnebago County, Illinois. The fact of these counties is due to the teachers who spent years in one place and developed school spirit and social service to such a degree that their little places became a source of pride, what was being done by them.

The corps of teachers in this city is as devoted and progressive as in any other community. A few instances deserve special mention, that of Miss Ada Shaffer in the Lowell building in looking after the welfare of the pupils in the three lower grades who must necessarily bring their lunches to school.

and the work of Mrs. Harriet E. Dietz, Principal of the Irving school, in bringing about the co-operation of the parents in the school work of the high school is supplemented by the High School Parental Association, which was organized to bring about a closer cooperation between parents, teachers, pupils, in the High School, but whose influence will soon be felt by all the parents, teachers and pupils in the city.

The work of the school committee made of the Women's Federation, has been a consistent progress concerning the welfare of their children in the schools. More parents now visit schools every week than did ten years ago. The efforts of parents, teachers, and civic organizations, have brought about better teaching, a better understanding of the individual pupils, and a better "esprit de corps" on the part of the teachers, of the boys and girls in the schools, and of the community. The work of the school committee, interested parents, teachers and pupils, to call attention to the fact that a portion of the Board of Education has been in the office of the City Superintendent for a school year. The coming year will be a good time to begin the erection of the school building, which ground has already been obtained on the corner of 17th and Grand Avenues. We are now using the basement of the Lowell School as a grade room, but this basement is not a proper place for the young people to spend many hours of the day. All school purposes are held each day—one in the forenoon for those living at a distance. A building west of the C. M. & St. Paul tracks would remedy the present situation in the Lowell and Emerson schools. It would also provide against any accident to children of the lower grades who are compelled to cross the railroad tracks in order to get to and from school. It is well known that small children have to be watched very carefully while the children are going to or from school to avoid possible accidents. The way to avoid danger here is to provide such conditions that danger need not be courted. Not many years will pass before it will become necessary to provide for the school accommodations for the children living on the south side and in the Packing House district. Sufficient land for such a site ought to be purchased at once before land becomes so expensive in price that a mistake will be made at some future time in not providing ample play ground space for the children.

A report of the University Inspector of High Schools, by Professor E. B. Skinner of the University of Wisconsin, who inspected our high school on February 2, 1912 reads in part as follows:

Mr. C. W. Schweder, Superintendent of Schools, Grand Rapids, Wis.

My dear Mr. Schweder:

I am making herewith a formal report of the inspection of your high school made by Professor Hennon and myself on February 2.

We have rated your school as excellent in organization in the spirit of the pupils toward their work.

Both Professor Hennon and myself enjoyed very much the opportunity of looking over your manual arts, domestic science, and commercial departments. We feel that you have succeeded admirably in properly coordinating and controlling this work in connection with that of the older departments. We congratulate you on the strong interest and efficient backing of your school.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) E. B. Skinner, University Inspector of High Schools.

The above rating was given us a year ago. We have improved since in our teaching staff and in the spirit of pupils toward their work. To bring about more independence of spirit, and stronger determination to succeed on the part of the pupils has been the aim of the teaching force in the high school. It was for that purpose that a so-called "Public Speaking" course was introduced, and placed in charge of Mr. Jean T. Shaffer. To see how well the plan worked and compel more than 350 fellow students, some of whom expected to see failures, to recognize the value of the compensating features of the teaching profession. The value of such a piece of work to the boys who brought about their own recognition must be immeasurable.

The Board of Education has been repeatedly criticised as extravagant in the running of the schools by some persons who have not the facts upon which they base their criticism as well as in mind as they should have. As a matter of fact, the plan of taxation for matter of fact, the plan of taxation for school purposes as levied by the Common Council in this city has been lowered year by year. In 1909, out of every \$22.26 taxes paid on each \$1000 assessed valuation, \$8.16 was for schools. In 1910, out of every \$24.20 taxes paid on each \$1000, assessed valuation, \$7.88 was for schools. In 1911, out of every \$25.00 assessed valuation, \$7.88 was for schools. This year, 1912, out of every \$24.60 taxes paid on each \$1000 assessed valuation, \$7.52 was for schools.

At the rate of taxation last year, the man who paid \$3000, almost paid for the education of one child in the grades, and the man who paid taxes on an assessed valuation of \$5000, almost paid for the education of one child in the high school. Putting the matter in another way, the man who paid taxes amounting to about \$2500 could educate one child in the grades, and the man who paid out \$200 in taxes paid enough toward the running expenses of the school to educate one child of the High School.

A further investigation at the close of school last year showed the following facts with respect to the make up of the High School:

School Year of 1911-1912	
1. Number of children enrolled, 271.	
2. Divided as follows by occupations of parents:	
Merchants	31
Professors	18
Real estate and Insurance	6
Lawyers	6
Doctors	6
Manufacturers	6
Ministers	6
Contractors	4
Hotel Keepers	4
Liquor Dealers	3
Schools	3
Butchers	3
Barbers	3
Druggists	3
Traders	3
Grocers	2
Lumbermen	2
Carpenters	2
Electricians	2
Bankers	2
Shoemakers	2
Cloth Dealers	1
Machinists	1
Painters	1
Unemployed	51
per day or less	51
271	

3. Number of families represented, 233.

4. Number of parents who paid no tax, 2.

5. Number of parents assessed less than \$2000, 87.

6. Number of parents assessed \$1,000 but less than \$2500, 83.

7. Number of parents assessed \$2500 but less than \$10,000, 28.

8. Number of parents assessed over \$10,000, 8.

It behooves those who have children in school to consider the above facts carefully, and to make no unfounded objection or criticism with regard to the running expenses of the school system of the city of Grand Rapids. We are proud of our schools. The average citizen who believes in the city of Grand Rapids will tell you so, and will always mention that fact to any stranger who may come to this city. The public spirited citizen fully realizes that the best legacy he can possibly leave his children is a good education. It is our aim, the aim of the Board of Education, to keep in mind

the interests of the boys and girls in this city and give them the best in our power.

In closing, I wish to thank the members of the Women's Federation, the High School Parental Association, the members of the Board of Education, a loyal and devoted corps of teachers, an attentive student body, and the many appreciative citizens for their support in keeping the school system of this city in the front rank of the educational systems of this state. Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SCHWEDER, Superintendent of Schools.

Entertained Her Lady Friends.

Miss Grace Dougherty entertained the following young ladies at a party given at her home on the west side on Tuesday evening: Misses Anna Henry, Genevieve Meunier, Alma Reiche, Ellen Shuman, Agnes Nash, Lucile Voyser, Mabel Dougherty and Hazel Bliss.

Light refreshments were served. The young ladies departed for their homes at a late hour, all reporting a most enjoyable time.

Inflated Big Class.

There was some going at the Elks club rooms on Tuesday evening, when a class of about twenty was initiated into the order. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant time was had.

M. L. Ginsburg is agent for the "Star Brand" shoes. Every pair guaranteed. Go to the new store on First Avenue North.

That Immense scene in "The Wolf" which comes to Daly's Theatre next Friday night, in which a duel takes place before the audience, but on a stage so dark that you can't tell which man is getting the worst of it. Then comes a fall, a deadly silence. One is killed—but which? The hero or the villain? And then a light flashes and you see—what you see! It's not only the big scene of the play, but the biggest, strongest and greatest scene ever played on any stage.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schuh of Port Edwards are mourning the death of their infant son, aged four months, who died Sunday morning. The little one was apparently in the best of health and was found dead in his bed in the morning. Mrs. Schuh had been up at five o'clock to nurse him and at 7:35 when she again went to see him he was dead. It is thought that the little one died of cramps. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock on Tuesday from the house, services being conducted by Rev. Logan and the remains were interred in Calvary cemetery.

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Formation of Oxygen.

When water is decomposed by radium or by ultra-violet rays it produces hydrogen and peroxide of hydrogen, and it does not form oxygen. A German investigator base a new theory relating to the drying of the earth on the fact that one form of decomposition produces oxygen, while the other form does not. Part of the water vapor emitted by the seas is decomposed by the ultra-violet rays of the sun; the hydrogen formed rises toward the high atmospheric strata, and all water does not return to the surface. Therefore, the quantity of water on the face of the globe is always diminishing and the earth is incessantly, it gradually, drying.

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UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Ladies: Becke, Miss Martha, card; Chis, Mary, (D. L.); Helsor, Miss Helen; Hollem, Miss Mabel L.; Tebbdo, Mrs. J.

Gentlemen: Brown, J. B.; Chetick, Jack, card; Cotterill, J. A., card; Hagan, James L.; Hansen, H. (D. L.); Hansen, F. C.; Kuter, Herman, card; Reliance Athletic Club; Rennie, Thomas, card; Valstier, Rev. E. J.; Wells Land Co., card; White, Willis, card.

Investment. Remember Barter's is guaranteed. It will strengthen and build up a weak and run down system. It will cure and prevent catarrh, colds and rheumatism. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co.—Ad.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—One registered holstein bull, 3 1/2 years old, well marked, 1300 lbs. Seed corn, yellow dent, tested. Inquire of Alois Juser, R. F. D. 3, Grand Rapids, Wis.—2t pd.

—On Friday, March 28th, at Daly's Theatre, Jones and Crane will offer "The Wolf." One of the many striking features of the play is said to be the final of the last act, which is played on a dark stage with the moon hidden behind dense clouds. The fight between the two star characters is not seen by the audience, but the exchange of defiance, the pistol shot and scuffle, with the sound of a falling body at last, are heard, as until the winner of the fight reveals his face by the glare of a match with which he is calmly lighting a cigarette, the audience is in doubt as to the outcome.

—Coming next Monday and Tuesday the George Merry Makers, a pleasing fun show of 7 people. Prices 10, 15, and 20 cents. Two shows, 7:15 and 9:00 P. M.

# Cohen Bros. Dept. Store

In order to stir up a little buying enthusiasm during this Great Spring Sale we will offer various items selected from all sections of our store at considerable less than regular prices. Every item is a real, sure-enough bargain worthy of everbody's consideration and prompt attendance. In our Grocery Department we will give you prices such as will not come around again for a good long time. Our closing out sale of Groceries will be one of the big features of our Spring Sale, a once-in-awhile occasion to replenish the larder at cost and less.

COME THE FIRST DAY IF POSSIBLE, BUT BY ALL MEANS COME BEFORE THE SALE IS OVER

Sale Starts Friday March 28th and Will Last 10 Days

## Choice Spring Coats

### For Particular Women

THERE ARE FEW THINGS THAT give women as much pleasure as choosing their Spring Coats—slipping in and out of new length coats, trying the effect of the high and low, cutaways, and the becomingness of the new collars and backs.

If you have a doubt about what kind of a spring coat you want or should wear; come in and let us show you our line and we are sure you will find just what you want at prices lower than the lowest.

## Ladies' House Dresses 20% Discount

We have a number of broken sizes and odd lots in Ladies' House Dresses, neatly made and trimmed, that will go at 20% discount during this sale.

## Waste Baskets

Decorated Waste Paper Baskets, made of strong material, well worth 10c, Spring Sale

# 5c

## Ladies' Hose

Ladies Black Seamless Hose, guaranteed stainless and strong, spring sale per pair

# 5c

## Ladies' Muslin Underwear

During this sale we will give a 20% Discount on a lot of Ladies' Muslin Underwear that is slightly soiled.

Ladies muslin night gowns neatly trimmed sale 45c


47 inch dress embroidery from 59c to \$1.75

Ladies ribbed vests from 5c to 25c

Ladies' white shirt waists worth \$1.00 sale 59c

Children's Iron Clad hosiery worth 25c sale 15c

Kloster-silk thread (100 yard spools) per spool 2c



## Dry Goods Specials

Fancy English torchon lace worth 10c spring sale 5c

Taffetta ribbon, all colors worth 15c spring sale per yard 10c

Cloth tape measures worth 5c sale each 1c

18 inch corset cover embroidery worth 25c spring sale 15c

26x26 embroidered center pieces worth 25c spring sale 10c

16x40 embroidered dresser scarfs worth 25c spring sale 10c

Fancy embroidered tidies, worth 10c sale 5c

Ladies' fine handkerchiefs with fancy borders, spring sale 3c

Ladies' white hemstitched handkerchiefs spring sale 1c

## Closing Out Sale

# Grocery Department

Bell brand roasted coffee 25c per pound

XXXX package coffee 20c per pound

Standard smoking tobacco 27c per pound

Growler smoking tobacco 17c per pound

K. C. Baking powder 15c 25 oz. can

New Smoking tobacco 25c per 1 pound pail

Quaker puffed wheat 7c per package

Quaker corn flakes 7c per package

Japan tea dust 11c per 1 pound package

Quaker puffed rice 9c per package

7 bars Galvanic soap 25c

8 bars Pearl White soap 25c

P. & G. Naptha soap 4c per bar

Big bottle Snider's catsup 19c

Big box good parlor matches 3c

Big box Grandma washing powder for 12c

Castile toilet soap 1c per bar

Good Holland herring 10c 3 pounds for

Swan's baby milk 2c per can

## Dress Goods

Double width dress plaids, worth 12 1/2c spring sale 8c per yard

Half wool dress voiles, assorted colors worth 50c, spring sale 25c per yard

Dress gingham in checks and plaids worth 9c spring sale 5 1/2c

White dress lawns with wide and narrow dimity stripes worth 10c sale 6c

1 lot fancy lawns and dimities worth 12 1/2c spring sale 8c per yard

Double width percale, worth 8c per yard at this sale 5c

Double width percale, worth 10c per yard at this sale 7c

Checked apron gingham at this sale per yard 4 1/2c

## SHOES! SHOES!

Substantial Savings On All Shoes and Rubbers

Good Shoes, serviceable shoes, comfortable shoes, stylish shoes, at substantial saving. We carry a complete line of AMERICAN GIRL SHOES for ladies and the famous BATES SHOES for men. We guarantee every pair to give absolute satisfaction. Prices range from \$1.25 up to \$4.50.

## Ladies' Petticoats

Ladies' black sateen petticoats, nicely made of a good quality sateen, well worth 75c during this sale

# 45c

## MEN'S CLOTHING

Good Clothing at Small Prices

Men's fine socks in black, tan and blues worth 10c spring sale 5c

Men's all wool worsted suits, latest styles, worth \$15.00 spring sale \$8.98

Men's wool suits, worth up to \$12.00 spring sale \$7.48

We have a full line of Boy's suits from \$1.00 to \$5.00

Men's wool pants worth \$1.75 spring sale \$1.19

Men's Balbriggan shirts and drawers this sale 19c

Just received our Spring line of Mens' and Boys' hats, prices 45c to \$2.50.

## Ladies' Millinery

Here's good news for the lady who wants to save some real money on her spring hat. We have a complete line of new Spring Millinery, comprising beautiful millinery of every description, all new fashionable, desirable, all priced for this sale at much less than real value. Come early as the smartest styles are always snapped up in a jiffy.

No Two Hats Trimmed Alike



## Ladies' Sweaters

At the big reduction we will make on Ladies' and Misses sweaters during this sale, you can well afford to buy one for the present and next fall. They are all carefully made garments in grey, wine, white, navy, brown and green. Here you will find the biggest savings you've had offered you this season. Don't fail to partake of these unlooked for bargains, prices range from

# 98c to \$4.75

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1 lot of children's rubbers good quality, always sold at 40c, sizes 6 to 10 1/2, spring sale

# 19c

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**WANTED**—Unloaded pulp wood at our Birch Mill. Good accommodations. **WANTED**—Salesman look after our interest in Wood and adjacent counties. Salary by commission. Address The Harvey Co., Cleveland, O. **FOUND**—Black fur mink on Saturday on Third Ave. N. Owner may have same by calling this office and paying charges for this notice. **FOUND**—On Monday, March 17, a ruff. Owner may have same by calling at the Tribune office and paying charges. **FOR SALE OR TRADE**—One registered Holstein bull, 3½ years old, well marked, 1300 lbs. Spectacular, yellow tinted, tested. Inquire at Alois Huser, R. F. D. 3, Grand Rapids, Wis.—21 pd. **STRAYED**—A black and white shepherd dog followed me in my way home from Stevens Point on March 17th, 1913. Owner may have same by calling and paying costs. Frank Shelt-hout, Junction City, Mo. 11-2-31 pd. **FOR SALE**—The Winkler farm south of the city limits consisting of 20 acres and buildings. Sealed bids will be received until April 20th by Wm. Hedding. Nothing less than \$2000 will be considered. **GIRL WANTED**—For general house work. Bert Nason, across from Grand Rapids Milling Co. at Adams. **FOR RENT**—A room, flat, new and modern. Gardiner Bros. **WANTED**—Washing, laundry at Mrs. F. Jenkins, 5th street, south. **FOR SALE OR RENT**—Farm for sale or rent or will work on shares. Apply to Joe Erick, Grand Rapids, Wis. **FOR SALE**—1 bay gelding 3 years old, 2 black mares, 3 years old, 1 registered black stallion coming 2 years old. N. G. Hatfield, near New Stork Farm, Rudolph, Wis. **WANTED**—First class machinists, also one good mechanic. Good pay and steady job. Merril Iron Works, Merrill, Wis.—31 pd. **WANTED**—Men for unloading pulp-wood. Wages \$1.70 per day. Board \$3.75 per week. Nekoma-Edwards Paper Co., Port Edwards, Wisconsin. **FOR SALE**—80 acre farm, 3½ miles from city, well drained well, highly improved, one of the best dairy farms in Wood County. Implements and stock if desired. Easy terms. John Bengner, "Belvidere Farm," at, Ad. **WANTED**—Traction steam engines. Two steam engines wanted for the coming seasons highway work, engines must be in good running condition from 16 to 20 horse power. For particulars write to J. A. Mendenhall, City Point, Wis., Wood County Highway Commissioner. **FARM FOR RENT**—180 acre farm in town of Seneca, 35 acres plow land, 25 acres of good hay land. Will prefer to rent for cash and will make terms very reasonable as owner has gone west. Farm located six miles west of city. A fine opportunity for a hustler as the hay will more than pay the rent. Rentier must live on the place. Inquire at this office.—21 pd. **FOR RENT**—A good 360 acre dairy and grain farm, formerly known as the Thornburg Farm. Johns 10 Mile Creek on the Portage Road. Good house, large cow and horse barn, silo, grainary, hog, hen and tool sheds. About 120 acres under plow, about 20 acres seeded in clover and grass, mostly all fall plow. I will rent this farm for cash or grain, rent very cheap. This would make an elegant cheese factory, it is in the center of a dairy country and this farm has pastured 80 head of cattle. C. W. Zimmerman, Grand Rapids, Wis.—21 pd. **FOR SALE**—A fine Segstrom piano at a bargain. This is a brand new instrument, one that has never been used and has a fine tone. If you want a piano cheap, this is a chance of a lifetime. Call at the Tribune office for further information. **WANTED**—A buyer for good 80 acre clay loam farm, 40 acres cultivated, 20 acres good pasture, 20 acres wooded. Large brick 10 room house, fine stone basement barn 20x35, two smaller barns, two poultry houses, granary, new brick silo. D. B. PHILLIPS. **ANOTHER**—80 acres, four miles from city, school house, near by, 65 acres under plow, 15 acres pasture; good 7 room frame house with large cellar; two good barns and other buildings; two wells of pure water on place. 8 milch cows, 2 heifers, 2 calves, 1 team horses, binder, mower, rake, seeder, drags, plows, cultivators, wagons, sleighs, feed cutter, cream separator, etc. For particulars call at my office, across from Hotel Witter. D. B. Phillips, Real Estate and Insurance. **GEO. W. BAKER & SON** UNDERTAKERS AND LICENSED EMBALMERS North Second Street, East Grand Rapids, Wis. Business Phone 401, Night Calls 402. **W. Melvin Ruckle, M. D.**—PRACTICE LIMITED TO—EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT Glasses fitted correctly. Eye and Ear Surgery, Riverview Hospital, Office in Wood County Bank Building, Telephone No. 254. **DRS. BANDELIN & HOUSTON** DENTISTS Office over Otto's Drugstore on the west side. Telephone No. 437, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin. **D. D. 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LOCAL ITEMS.

Von Holliday was a business visitor in Milwaukee on Friday. Frank Schmeling of Wausau was in the city over Sunday a guest at the Frank Stahl home. A sure cure for the blues is smoke. Lucky Sam, the best cigar in the market.—41 pd. Miss Grace Bonow has accepted a position as cashier in Edwards and Gouche's meat market. Mrs. Fred Schiele of Nekoma spent Saturday in the city the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Schrader. Walter Baruch spent several days in Milwaukee the past week the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. G. Turck. The Catholic Ladies Aid Society will have charge of the Ideal Theatre on Thursday evening of this week. Oscar Gehring returned on Monday night from a business trip of several days in Milwaukee and Watertown. Miss Cella Burr, who is teaching in Milwaukee, spent a week in the city visiting with relatives and friends. Aug. Henke, one of the noted farmers of the town of Sigel, was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday. Miss Marie Loez, who is attending school in Milwaukee, was home to spend the Easter vacation with her parents. Miss Anna Hansen, manager of the Cash Realization Co., spent Easter in Chicago visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. George Odegaard of Neenah, spent several days in this city the past week visiting with friends and relatives. Lessig Bros. have started their saw mill in the town of Rudolph. They have about 200,000 feet of logs to cut for farmers. The Wolf, Daily Theatre Friday, March 25th. First class company. All seats reserved, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Anton Brost of Babcock, was in the city on Friday and Saturday on business for the Cranberry Creek Drainage District. Miss Reta Philcox was home from the Milwaukee Normal to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Philcox, over Easter. Ernest Anderson returned home on Monday from Oshkosh where he spent his Easter vacation with his friend, Kenneth Newton. Miss Grace Gougeon was home from Duane College to spend the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Gougeon. Wm. Swann has sold the residence located on his west side lot to John Kinksky, who intends to occupy the place with his family. Mike Griffin of Marshfield was in the city on Monday looking after some business matters. The Tribune acknowledges a pleasant call. John Little of Rudolph, was a business visitor in the city on Monday and while here favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call. Mrs. N. Robinson of Merrill, returned to her home Tuesday morning after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. Barrett on Grand Avenue. Frank Hinz, one of the progressive young farmers of Arpin, was a business visitor in the city on Thursday. This office acknowledges a pleasant call. Mrs. Huser, one of the successful dairy farmers of Altford, was among the Tribune callers on Wednesday to renew his subscription for another year. R. E. Walters, editor of the Mosinee Times, was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Monday, being on his way home from Pittsville, where he had been to spend Easter with friends. —Subscribe for the Tribune. \$1.50. Chas. Duesburg died at his home in Holland, Mich., recently after a three weeks illness with pneumonia. Mr. Duesburg lived here for several years, during which time he was employed as shipping clerk at Oberbeck Bros. —Alter Akey of the town of Carson, was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday. Mr. Akey has leased the Jake Skille farm at Junction City and will move onto the place the first of April to take charge of it. —Miss Mary Akey is because she is foreveered and he is pigeon toed. —Chap John medicines are a poor investment. Remember Barker's is guaranteed. It will strengthen and build a weak and run down system. It will cure and prevent catarrh, colds and rheumatism. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co.—Ad. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Pease returned on Saturday from their trip to the Panama Canal and report a very pleasant trip. Mr. and Mrs. Meade stopped at Bickel, Miss., where their children have been spending the greater part of the winter. —Coming next Monday and Tuesday the Georgia Merry Men, a pleasing fun show of 7 people. Prices 10, 15, and 20 cents. Two shows, 7:15 and 9:00 P. M. At a caucus for the town of Hansen on Saturday, the following officers were nominated: Chairman—W. H. Peters. Side Board—W. H. Bean, Geo. Laidlow. Clerk—Wm. Ehler. Treasurer—Gus Helze. Assessor—Chas. Uhlman. Louis Reichel, Jr., was home from the University of Wisconsin to spend Easter with his parents. He was accompanied by a friend, Harry Roethe, of Pennsylvania. On Saturday evening Louis entertained a party of university students at his home, there being seventeen in the bunch, and a very pleasant time was had. D. M. Letson, the big south-paw who pitched for the Grand Rapids team last summer and finished the end of the season with the Appleton league team, has been signed for the coming season by Appleton. Jimmy VanPatter, another pitcher who is well known to local fans, and who played with Appleton last season, has also been signed by that team. John Harrison of Confrey, Minn., has been in the city the past few days visiting with old time friends. Mr. Harrison formerly made his home in this city, but left here thirteen years ago to make his home in Minnesota. He has been back here once, four years ago, and says that our city has been making some wonderful strides in that time. Mr. Harrison says that he does not know that any of our old residents will ever be killed for their good looks, but that they all look good to him, just the same.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Marin visited with friends in Iowa over Easter.

J. Q. Daniels of Babcock was a business visitor in the city on Saturday. A. I. Chambers lost one of best driving horses on Monday with sickness. Mrs. August Sutor of Marshfield, spent Easter in the city visiting with relatives. James Howlett of Merrill visited with relatives and friends in the city the past week. Emil Elzerhardt, one of the solid farmers on R. D. No. 7, favored this office with a pleasant call on Tuesday. John Lundquist, one of the reliable farmers down New Rome way, was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Tuesday. Misses Bessie Farrish and Beulah Searls are home from their studies at Menomonee, Wis., to visit their parents during the Easter vacation. Will Powell, manager of the Wisconsin Telephone Company at Stevens Point, was in the city on Tuesday looking after his company's interests here. E. B. Crawford, editor of the Edgar Press and a former Grand Rapids boy, got one of his hands caught in a job press, badly mauling several of the fingers. Messrs. I. B. Wilcox and Oscar Crockett departed on Tuesday for a two weeks trip to nearby towns with a line of clocks and suits for Johnson & Hill Co. T. E. Mullen and sons Ray and George were in Milwaukee on Friday where they placed their order for a 42 horse power Oakland touring car for their use and a 35 horse power touring car for Nic Holland. R. I. Philcox left on Monday for Hancock and Plainfield where he is doing some engineering work for the drainage districts in that locality. They are preparing to commence dredging on the marshes now, there being very little frost in the ground in places. —Legal blanks for sale at this office. Chas. Schumler, an experienced shoe man, has accepted a position with the Johnson & Hill Co., taking charge of that department. Mr. Schumler conducted the leading shoe store in Marshfield for many years, but for the past few years has been in charge of the shoe department at Livingston's store at Wausau. Merritt Donaston of the town of Rudolph, favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call on Tuesday. Mr. Donaston reports that the wind storm of Sunday night, while quite severe, did not do a great deal of damage, it being mostly confined to the overturning of small buildings and things of that nature. Among the attractions at the Bijou this week was Miss Florence Best, a dramatic reader of more than ordinary talent, and Enrico Wiener, who is a baritone singer of great power and wonderful expression. The theatre has been favored with good crowds during the engagement and all who heard these two artists have expressed themselves as being greatly pleased with their performances. Manager Brown is to be congratulated on having been so fortunate as to secure such high class attractions. —Legal blanks for sale at this office. To the Voters and Lawyers of Wood County: —Is the office of County Judge run as it ought to be? Are the fees charged those provided for by law, or are they overcharged? I understand at Stevens Point, Judge Murat charges twenty-five cents for a certified copy of a will, while Judge Conway at Grand Rapids charges one and 50-100 (\$1.50) Dollars. Now as a farmer I do not know which one is right. As a member of the County Board this question was put up to me to have it corrected. I did my best and saw some of the lawyers on the County Board and tried to put it on their shoulders to have the work done but there was nothing done, because the old fellow never kicks, and I was quite willing to let it go at that, and now it is up to the people at the spring election to have this thing stopped. Each one of you see your own lawyer because you have to the someone and have it set right, because after you are dead you cannot say much. Yours respectfully, Simon Wornath. Paid Advertisement. 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March 12. Notice of Application for Proof of Will.

State of Wisconsin, Wood County Court, In Probate. State of Wisconsin, Wood County, SS. In the matter of the last will and testament of Joseph Rayome, deceased. Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Joseph Rayome, deceased, late of Rudolph, County of Wood, State of Wisconsin, has been filed in this office; And whereas, application has been made by Ernest Rayome, Joseph O. Rayome and Dan Rayome, praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters of administration with will annexed, be granted thereon according to law, to John Golen. It is ordered, that said application be heard before this Court, at a special term thereof, to be held at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Rapids on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m. And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for two weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said County, previous to said hearing. Dated March 11th, 1913. By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, CHAS. E. BRIERE, County Judge, Attorney for Petitioners. March 26. Drove the snakes out of Ireland. Bossert's Coal drives trouble out of the house. Call 416 or 54. Bossert Coal Co. Phone 416 Residence 54. "One of the greatest mechanical geniuses of all times"—a world-famed maker of a high priced car so refers to Henry Ford—whose great accomplishment is the Ford car. You'll want the mechanically perfect Ford this season—and to avoid disappointment you should get it now. "Everybody is driving a Ford"—more than 200,000 in service. New prices—runabout \$525—touring car \$600—delivery car \$625—town car \$800 with all equipment. J. O. B. Detroit. Get particulars from Huntington & Lessig, Agents, Grand Rapids, Wis.

FOOT-FORM FOOTWEAR

Our Direct Method saves you the difference of \$1.02 in cost price of your shoes. WEAR-U-WELL SHOE CO. Grand Rapids Tailoring Company, FRANK MAZUR, Manager. Factory Branch 481. Grand Rapids, Wisconsin. There are Several Good Separators BUT THERE IS Only One Best Separator—that's the MILWAUKEE A FEW REASONS WHY The Only Separator with Inter-changeable Aluminum Discs. The Only Separator with No Numbers On Discs. The Only Separator with Self-Balancing Discs. The Only Separator with Self-Cleaning Discs. MADE IN THREE CAPACITIES: Capacity No. of Discs. Weight of Bowl. Price THE MILWAUKEE 500 lbs. 12 6 lbs. 2 oz. \$50.00 750 lbs. 15 6 lbs. 12 oz. \$55.00 900 lbs. 21 8 lbs. 0 oz. \$60.00 Compare the number of Discs, the weight of the bowls and the PRICES with other make separators of like capacity and high-grade quality. A five year written guarantee goes with every machine. You take no risk. Let us give you a demonstration—See the MILWAUKEE at Edward N. Pomainville Abstracts, Collections, Loans Grand Rapids, Wis.

WHO GETS THE MONEY YOU EARN

If you die today what would become of your children? An honest father is anxious for his children's future, yet sometimes forgets that in the event of his death their future might be a BITTER one. We none of us know just when we are going to be summoned. Why not prepare for YOUR CHILDREN'S FUTURE by having some money in the bank? Every fortune was made by making the FIRSS start. Why do you not make your first start NOW and put some money into our bank? Do YOU banking with US. We pay 3 per cent interest compounded semi-annually. Bank of Grand Rapids, WEST SIDE. WHY do you waste your strength by sweeping floors when you can get a Vacuum Cleaner that gathers and stores the dust. It runs easy, is durable and warranted to do satisfactory work. Price only \$60.00. NASH HARDWARE CO. GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN. Love Me Love My Job! I'm still holding down my job, which goes to prove that you can hold down a good job, but you can't hold a good man down. My boss says he doesn't want to hold me down. He wants to hold price down and let quality soar as high as it can. It reaches blue sky in our yards and that's no poker story. Drop in and see the boss and the boys next time you need something in their line. They will treat you right. BEN TIE BOOSTER, with KELLOGG BROS. LUMBER CO. Apply Your Rent on a Home! \$1875 Buys two fine corner lots with a 7-room house on it, together with barn and outbuildings, located on Sixth street near Lincoln school. Lots alone are worth \$950. \$425 Buys three fine lots on Oak street between 13th and 14th avenues, sewer and water in street. \$125 Will buy while they last, well located lots in Gardner Addition, east side. Taylor & Scott, COME AND SEE US Open Every Saturday Evening. Phone No. 364



**WANT COLUMN**

**MEN WANTED**—To unload pulpwood at our Birch mill. Good accommodations.

**WANTED**—Salesman to look after our interest in Wood and adjacent counties. Salary by Commission. Address The Harvey Co., Cleveland, O.

**FOUND**—Black fur muffs on Saturday on Third Ave. N. Owner will have same by calling at this office and paying charges for this notice.

**FOUND**—On Monday, March 17, a mule. Owner may have same by calling at the Tribune office and paying charges.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—One registered Holstein bull, 3½ years old, well marked, 1300 lbs. Specimens, yellow tinted, tested. Inquiries to Frank Shults, R. F. D. 3, Grand Rapids, Wis.—21 pd.

**STRAYED**—A black and white shepherd dog followed me on my way home from Stevens Point on March 15th, 1913. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying charges for this notice.

**FOR SALE**—The Winkie farm south of the city limits consisting of 20 acres and buildings. Suitable for a home or a place to raise stock. Call on Wm. Reding. Nothing less than \$2000 will be considered.

**GIRL WANTED**—For general house work. Best wages paid. Grand Rapids Milling Co., 124 Adams St.

**FOR RENT**—6 room flat, new and modern. Garden back.

**WANTED**—Washing machine at Mrs. F. Jenkins, 5th Street, South.

**FOR SALE OR RENT**—Farm for sale or rent or will work of shares. Apply to Joe Tick, Grand Rapids, Wis.

**FOR SALE**—1 bay gelding 3 years old, 1 black mare, 3 years old, 1 registered black stallion coming 2 years old. N. C. Kettler, 1414 Shaw Stock Farm, Rudolph, Wis.—14 pd.

**WANTED**—First class machinists, also one good mechanic. Good pay and steady job. Merrill Works, Merrill, Wis.—31 pd. Ad.

**WANTED**—Men for unloading pulpwood. Wages \$1.70 per day. Board \$3.75 per week. Nelson-Edwards Paper Co., Port Edwards, Wisconsin.

**FOR SALE**—30 acre farm, 3½ miles from city, all improved, well improved, one of the best dairy farms in Wood County. Implements and stock if desired. Easy terms. John Bengert, "Belvidere Farm"—14. Ad.

**WANTED**—Traction steam engines. Two steam engines wanted for the coming seasons highway work. Engines must be in good running condition from 15 to 20 horse power. For particulars write to J. A. Anderson, City Point, Wis., Wood County Highway Commissioner.

**FARM FOR RENT**—150 acre farm in town of Seneca, 35 acres plow land, 25 acres of good hay land. Will give for rent for 20 years. Will make terms very reasonable. As owner has gone west. Farm located 3 miles west of city. A fine opportunity for a hustler as the hay will more than pay the rent. Inquire at this office—12. pd.

**FOR RENT**—A good 250 acre dairy and grain farm, formerly known as the Thornburg farm. 1010 10 Mile Creek on the Portage Road. Good house, large cow and horse barn, silo, granary, hog, hen and tool sheds. About 120 acres under plow, about 20 acres seeded. Will rent this farm for cash or grain, rent very cheap. This would make an elegant cheese factory, it is in the center of a dairy country and this farm has pastured 50 head of cattle. C. W. Zimmerman, Grand Rapids, Wis.—21. pd.

**FOR SALE**—A fine Scotchman piano at a bargain. This is a grand new instrument, one that has never been used and has a fine tone. If you want a piano cheap, this is a chance of a lifetime. Call at the Tribune office for further information.

**WANTED**—A buyer for good 30 acre clay loam farm, 40 acres cultivated, 20 acres good pasture, 20 acres wooded. Large brick 10 room house, fine stone basement barn 38x77, two smaller barns, two poultry houses, granary, new brick silo. D. B. MILLER.

**ANOTHER**—30 acres, four miles from city, school house near by; 65 acres under plow, 15 acres pasture; good 7 room frame house with large cellar; two good barns and other buildings; two wells of pure water on place; 8 milch cows, heifers, calves, 3 team horses, binder, mowing machine, seeders, disc plows, cultivators, wagons, sleighs, feed cutter, cream separator, etc. For particulars call at my office across from Hotel Witter. D. B. Philles, Real Estate and Insurance.

**GEO. W. BAKER & SON**  
UNDERTAKERS AND LICENSED EMBALMERS  
North Second Street, East Grand Rapids, Wis. Business Phone 401, Night Calls 402.

**W. Melvin Ruckle, M. D.**  
—PRACTICE LIMITED TO—  
EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT  
Glasses fitted correctly. Eye and Ear Surgeon, Riverview Hospital, Office in Wood County Bank Building. Telephone No. 254.

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DENTISTS  
Office over Otto's Drugstore on the west side. Telephone No. 437, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.

**D. D. CONWAY**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
Law, loans and Collections. We have \$2,000 which will be loaned at a low rate of interest. Office over First National Bank, East Side, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin. Telephone 323.

**D. A. TELFER**  
DEWIST  
Office over Wood County National Bank on the East Side, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin. Telephone No. 260.

**GEO. L. WILLIAMS**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
Office in Wood Block, over post office, Telephone No. 91, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.

**LOCAL ITEMS.**

Van Holliday was a business visitor in Milwaukee on Friday.

Frank Schmeling of Wausau was in the city over Sunday. A guest at the Frank Stahl home.

A sure cure for the blues is smoke Lakky Sam, the best cigar in the market.—41 pd.

Miss Grace Bonow has accepted a position as cashier in Edwards and Gouche's meat market.

Mrs. Fred Schiebe of Nekeosa spent Saturday in the city the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Schrader.

Walter Baruch spent several days in Milwaukee the past week the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. C. Turck.

The Catholic Ladies Aid Society will have church of the Ideal Theatre on Thursday evening of this week.

Oscar Uehling returned on Monday night from a business trip of several days in Milwaukee and Watertown.

Miss Cella Burr, who is teaching in Milwaukee, spent a week in the city visiting with relatives and friends.

Aug. Henke, one of the noted farmers of the town of Sigel, was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday.

Miss Marie Looze, who is attending school in Milwaukee, was home to spend the Easter vacation with her parents.

Miss Anna Hansen, manager of the Cash Realization Co., spent Easter in Chicago visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Odegard of Neenah, spent several days in the city the past week visiting with friends and relatives.

Leslie Bros. have started their saw mill in the town of Rudolph. They have about 200,000 feet of logs to cut for farmers.

The Wolf, Daly's Theatre Friday, March 28th. First class company. All seats reserved, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Anton Brest of Babcock, was in the city on Friday and Saturday on business for the Cranberry Creek Drainage District.

Miss Rena Philles was home from the Milwaukee Normal to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Philles, over Easter.

Ernest Anderson returned home on Monday from Oshkosh where he spent his Easter vacation with his friend, Kenneth Newton.

Miss Grace Grogins was home from Downer College, to spend the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Grogins.

Wm. Swain has sold the residence located on his west side lot to John Kihlitsky, who intends to occupy the place with his family.

Mike Griffin of Marshfield was in the city on Monday looking after some business matters. The Tribune acknowledges a pleasant call.

John Little of Rudolph, was a business visitor in the city on Monday and while here favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call.

Mrs. N. Robinson of Merrillan, returned to her home Tuesday morning after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. Barrett on Grand Avenue.

Frank Hinz, one of the progressive young farmers of the city, was a business visitor in the city on Thursday. This office acknowledges a pleasant call.

Alvin Hunter, one of the successful dairy farmers of Aldorf, was among the Tribune callers on Wednesday to renew his subscription for another year.

B. E. Walters, editor of the Mosinee Times, was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Monday, being on his way home from Pittsville, where he had been to spend Easter with friends.

Subscriber for the Tribune, \$1.50. Chas. Doeburg died at his home in Holland, Mich., recently after a three weeks illness with pneumonia. Mr. Doeburg lived here for several years, during which time he was employed as shipping clerk at Oberbeck Bros.

Abner Akey of the town of Carson, was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday. Mr. Akey has leased the Jake Skilbe farm at Junction City and will move onto the place the first of April to take charge of it.

Chas. Is dove-eyed and his pigeon toed.

Cheap John medicines are a poor investment. Remember, medicine is a guarantee. It will cure, soothe and build up a weak and run-down system. It will cure and prevent catarrh, colds and rheumatism. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co.—Ad.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Earle M. Pease returned on Saturday from their trip to the Panama Canal and report a very pleasant trip. Mr. and Mrs. Meade stopped at Bixby, Miss., where their children have been spending the greater part of the winter.

Coming next Monday and Tuesday the Georgia Merry Men, a pleasing fun show of 7 people. Prices 10, 15, and 20 cents. Two shows, 7:15 and 9:00 P. M.

At a caucus for the town of Hansen on Saturday, the following officers were nominated:  
Chairman—W. H. Peters.  
Side Board—W. H. Bean, Geo. Laidlow.  
Clerk—Wm. Ehlers.  
Treasurer—Gus Hetz.  
Assessors—Chas. Uhlman.

Louis Reichel, Jr., was home from the University of Wisconsin to spend Easter with his parents. He was accompanied by a friend, Harry Roethe, of Pennimore. On Saturday evening Louis entertained a party of university students at his home, there being seventeen in the bunch, and a very pleasant time was had.

D. M. Letson, the big south-paw who pitched for the Grand Rapids team last summer and finished the end of the season with the Appleton league team, has been signed for the coming season by Appleton. Jimmy VanPatter, another pitcher who is well known to local fans, and who played with Appleton last season, has also been signed by that team.

John Harrison of Confrey, Minn., has been in the city the past few days visiting with old time friends. Mr. Harrison formerly made his home in this city, but left here thirteen years ago to make his home in Minnesota. He has been back here once, four years ago, and says that our city has been making some wonderful strides in that time. Mr. Harrison says that he does not know that any of our old residents will ever be killed for their good looks, but that they all look good to him, just the same.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Marin visited with friends in Iowa over Easter.

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A. I. Chambers lost one of best driving horses on Monday with sickness.

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James Howlett of Merrill visited with relatives and friends in the city the past week.

Emil Eberhardt, one of the solid farmers on R. D. No. 7, favored this office with a pleasant call on Tuesday.

John Lundquist, one of the reliable farmers down New Rome way, was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Tuesday.

Misses Bessie Parish and Beulah Sears are home from their studies at Menomonie, Wis., to visit their parents during the Easter vacation.

Will Powell, manager of the Wisconsin Telephone Company at Stevens Point, was in the city on Tuesday looking after his company's interests here.

E. B. Crawford, editor of the Edgar Press and a former Grand Rapids boy, got one of his hands caught in a job press, badly mangle several of the fingers.

Messrs. J. E. Wilcox and Oscar Crostean departed on Tuesday for a two weeks trip to the city of St. Louis with a fine lot of clocks and suits for Johnson & Hill Co.

C. E. Mullen and sons Ray and George were in Milwaukee on Friday where they placed their order for a 42 horse power Oakland touring car for their use and a 35 horse power touring car for Nic Rolland.

E. J. Philles left on Monday for Hancock and Plainfield where he is doing some engineering work for the drainage districts in that locality. They are preparing to commence dredging on the marshes now, there being very little frost in the ground in places.

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**REPLY**

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JOHN A. MURAT,  
County Judge,  
Portage County, Wis.

The above statement was read to Judge Murt at Stevens Point through the telephone and he authorized that his name be signed thereto, in the fact of the falsity of the above article may be set forth without delay. I believe this method of campaign will meet with the just rebuke from the voters on election day, that the authors of such article and those authorizing and approving of the same, are entitled to.

Signed,  
W. J. CONWAY.

Supplementary to the above, the following letter was received today:

Stevens Point, Wis., March 25, 1913  
Hon. W. J. Conway,  
Grand Rapids, Wis.

Dear Judge—

I hope that the statement authorized by me last week refuting the false and unjust statement in circulation in your county as to charges for Certified copies of wills, nailed that falsehood. Why, one dollar and fifty cents has been the minimum charge for twenty years. Twenty-five cents is a legal charge for the certificate to any document.

Sincerely yours,  
John A. Murat.

**Got Eighteen Months.**

Henry Pribunow, who was convicted in circuit court last week of being an habitual criminal, was only Wednesday sentenced to 18 months in the state prison at Waupun. Pribunow had been arrested on numerous occasions for minor misdemeanors like being drunk and disorderly, and it was thought best to give him a chance to straighten up.

—Subscribe for the Tribune, \$1.50.

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W. J. CONWAY.

To the Electors of the Third Ward

—Because of the urgent request of several I have decided to announce that I am a candidate for the office of Supervisor and will be glad to receive your support.—1t

Respectfully,  
March 3, 1913. GEO. L. WILLIAMS

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WILLIAM T. NOBLES.

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Schools for Wood County.

GEO. F. VARNER.

**Announcement.**

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as a member of the Third Ward at the election April 1st. 2t. pd.

BENNETT MCCARTHY.

**Announcement.**

To the voters of Grand Rapids:—

I am a non-partisan candidate for Justice of the Peace, at the coming election, and will be glad to receive your support.

JOHN ROBERTS.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for justice of the peace at the coming spring election.

SCOTT SNYDER.

**Announcement.**

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as alderman of the Fourth Ward.

GUY NASIL.

—On Friday, March 28th, at Daly's Theatre, Jones and Crane will offer "The Wolf." One of the many striking features of the play is said to be the final of the last act, in which a man in a dark suit with the moon hidden behind dense clouds. The fight between the two star characters is not seen by the audience, but the exchange of words, the pistol shot and scuffle, with the sound of a falling body at the end heard, and until the winner of the fight reveals his face by the glare of a match with which he is calmly lighting a cigarette, the audience is in doubt as to the outcome.

**The Selling of a Dog.**

A very beautiful and pathetic story comes to us from the neighborhood of Cranston, where Oliver S. Johnson of Tipton was conducting a sale. A beautiful Scotch collie dog had been taken in interest in the procedure of the sale and was himself put on the block for sale. Someone had bid \$4. The dog looked up and saw his master weeping, kissed his hand and looked up at the auctioneer inquisitively.

Major Johnson laid his hand on the dog's head and said pathetically: "Yes, Shaggy, you're parting with you, we regret to do this but we're going to Colorado; we shall always kindly remember you; you were always faithful to us and when our last friend seemed to have vanished you kissed our hand. There was never a stray pig who came on the premises that you did not point it out to us. If any of the horses took sick in the night you called us. When the children went into the pasture you guarded them. When we climbed into the buggy and drove off to Muscatine you bade us farewell. You were the only one that stood at the gate and sounded a glad welcome when we returned. You were always cheerful. You helped us do the chores by day, and you guarded our home, our property and our safety by night. In sunshine and in storm you were always the same; you never murmured when we forgot to feed you. Always kind, faithful and true. We hope your new master will be as kind and considerate of you as we have been. If we are as faithful we shall again be a haven of immortality, but when you lie down for the last time it is possible you are nothing more than a dead dog."

The way the auctioneer spoke seemed to bring tears to many eyes and the dog's master disappeared behind a corn-crib with a bandana in his hand.—International Auctioneer.

—Saturday and Sunday a big feature picture, Pilgrim's Progress in 5 reels at Daly's Theatre. Do not miss this great picture.

—The Phonograph plays a big part in "The Wolf," which comes to Daly's Theatre Friday, March 27th. In the third act it is necessary that the howling of wolves shall be heard in order to carry out the superintendence of the Canadian forest that when wolves howl in a pack in Indian summer it means death for some man before the wolves that howl in the act foretell the death of William McDonald, the villainous engineer, which occurs in a duel on a dark stage, so dark that you cannot tell which man is getting the worst of it. Then comes a fall, a deadly silence. One is killed,—but which—the engineer or the French Canadian? A match is struck and you see what you see. It's the big scene of the play. Prices 25, 35, 50, and 75 cents. Lower boxes \$1.00.

—When your wife gets all your change, smoke a Lakky Sam and you will forget it.—18pd.

March 5

Order Limiting Time to Present Claims and Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Louis G. Janson, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Louis G. Janson, late of the town of Rudolph, in said County of Wood, deceased, having been duly granted to John P. Golan by this court.

It is ordered, that the time from the date hereof until and including the third day of September, A. D. 1913, be and the same is hereby fixed as the time within which all creditors of the said Louis G. Janson, deceased, shall present their claims for consideration to said John P. Golan, executor of the estate of the said Louis G. Janson, deceased, and all creditors are hereby notified thereof.

It is further ordered, that all claims and demands of all persons against the said Louis G. Janson, deceased, be examined and adjusted before this court, at its Court Room in said County of Wood, at Grand Rapids, in said County, at the regular term thereof appointed to be held on the first Tuesday of October, 1913, and all creditors are hereby notified thereof.

It is further ordered, that all claims and demands be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four consecutive weeks, once in each week, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper published in the County of Wood, the first publication to be within fifteen days of the date hereof.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1913.  
By the Court,  
W. J. CONWAY,  
County Judge.

**NOTICE OF JUDICIAL AND SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT ELECTION.**

State of Wisconsin, Department of State.

Notice is hereby given, that at an election to be held in the several towns, villages and election precincts on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1913, being the first day of said month, the following officers are to be elected:

A JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT to succeed Robert H. Steele, whose term expires the first day of January, 1914.

A STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS to succeed George A. Varney, whose term expires the first Monday of July, 1913, given after my hand and the official seal of the State of Wisconsin.

A COUNTY JUDGE to succeed Wm. J. Conway, whose term will expire on the first Monday of January, 1914.

A COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS to succeed George A. Varney, whose term will expire on the first Monday of July, 1913.

And such other officers as are required by law to be elected at such election.

GIVEN under my hand and the official seal of the State of Wisconsin in the County of Grand Rapids, this 4th day of March, A. D. 1913.

P. H. RICHARDT,  
County Clerk of Wood County.

March 12

Notice of Application for Proof of Will

State of Wisconsin, Wood County Court, In Probate.

State of Wisconsin, Wood County, SS.

In the matter of the last will and testament of Joseph Rayome, deceased.

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Joseph Rayome, deceased, late of Rudolph, County of Wood, State of Wisconsin, has been filed in this office:

And whereas, application has been made by Ernest Rayome, Joseph O. Rayome and Dan Rayome, praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters of administration, with will annexed, be granted thereon according to law, to John Golen.

It is ordered, that said application be heard before this Court, at a special term thereof, to be held at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Rapids on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said County, previous to said hearing.

Dated March 11th, 1913  
By the Court,  
W. J. CONWAY,  
CHAS. E. BRIERE, County Judge.  
Attorney for Petitioners.

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If you die today what would become of your children?

An honest father is anxious for his children's future, yet sometimes forgets that in the event of his death their future might be a BITTER one. We none of us know just when we are going to be summoned. Why not prepare for YOUR CHILDREN'S FUTURE by having some money in the bank? Every fortune was made by making the FIRST start. Why do you not make your first start NOW and put some money into our bank?

Do YOUR banking with US. We pay 3 per cent interest compounded semi-annually.

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WEST SIDE

**WHY**

do you waste your strength by sweeping floors when you can get a

**Vacuum Cleaner**

that gathers and stores the dust. It runs easy, is durable and warranted to do satisfactory work. Price only \$6.00.

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I'm still holding down my job, which goes to prove that you can hold down a good job, but you can't hold a good man down.

My boss says he doesn't want to hold me down. He wants to hold prices down and let quality soar as high as it can. It reaches blue sky in our yards and that's no poker story.

Drop in and see the boss and the boys next time you need something in their line. They will treat you right.

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\$425 Buys three fine lots on Oak street between 13th and 14th avenues, sewer and water in street.

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Compare the number of Discs, the weight of the bowls and the PRICES with other make separators of like capacity and high-grade quality. You take no risk. Let us give you a demonstration—See the MILWAUKEE at

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# RICH MEN'S CHILDREN

By GERALD BONNER  
Author of "THE POWER OF TOMORROW'S TANGLE"

Illustrations by DOM J. LAVIN

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## SYNOPSIS.

Bill Cannon, the bonanza king, and his daughter, Hannah, who had passed up Mrs. Cannon's fortune in San Francisco to accompany her father, arrive at Antelope, where they are met by the mother to whom they are to be married. The mother, who is a woman of means, is a woman of means, and she is a woman of means. The mother, who is a woman of means, is a woman of means, and she is a woman of means. The mother, who is a woman of means, is a woman of means, and she is a woman of means.

"I don't see how she could do that," said Hannah, "transparent and all. I don't think that's the kind of dress to wear in a theater. It's too sort of conspicuous."

"I think Hannah's right," said Josh, solemnly nodding at Berny. "It doesn't seem to me the right thing for a lady. Look at it."

"What do you know about it, Josh McCrae?" said Hazel, pugnaciously. "You're a clerk in a jewelry store."

"Maybe I am," retorted Josh, "but I guess that don't prevent me from knowing when a thing looks fast. Clerks in jewelry stores ain't such kummers as you might think. And, anyway, I don't see that being a clerk is any kind of a store has anything to do with it."

Hazel was saved the effort of making a crushing retort, for Pearl, who had been silently eating her lunch, now suddenly launched a remark into the conversation.

"Did Uncle Dominick go to the ball?" she asked, raising a pair of limpid blue eyes to Berny's face.

An instantaneous, significant silence fell on the others, and all eyes turned inquiringly to Berny. Her air of cool control became slightly exaggerated.

"No, he stayed at home with me," she replied, picking daintily at the meat on his plate.

"But I suppose he felt hurt and annoyed," said Hannah. "He couldn't have helped it."

Berny did not reply. She knew that she must sooner or later tell her sisters of Dominick's strange departure. They would find it out otherwise and suspect more than she wanted of them to know. They, like the rest of the world, had no idea that Berny's brilliant marriage was not the domestic success it appeared on the surface.

She moved her knife and fork with an arranging hand, and as Hazel started to speak, she said with a careless air as she could assume:

"Dominick's gone. He left this morning."

"Gone where?" exclaimed Hazel. This was the test question and Berny had schooled herself in an answer in the car coming up.

"Oh, up into the country," she said nonchalantly. "He's worn out. They work the life out of him in that horrible bank. He's getting insomnia and thought he'd better take a change now, before he'd get run completely down. He left this morning and I'm a gay grass widow."

She laughed and drank some water. Her laugh did not sound to her own ears convincing and she was aware that, while Hannah was evidently satisfied by her explanation, Hazel was eyeing her ponderingly.

"Well, if he's got insomnia," said Hannah, "he'd better take his holiday right now. That's the best thing to do. Take it in the beginning. Before father took ill."

Here Josh interrupted her, as Hannah's reminiscences of the late contractor's last illness were long and exhaustive.

"Where'd you say he'd gone?" he queried.

"I can't remember the name," Berny answered with skillfully-assumed indifference; "somewhere down toward Santa Cruz and Monterey, some new place. And he may not stay there. If he doesn't like it, he'll just move around from place to place."

"Why didn't you go, too?" said Pearl.

"That was the second question Berny had dreaded. Now suddenly she felt her throat contract and her lips quiver. Her usually firm nerve had been shaken by her passion of the night before and the shock of the morning. The unwanted sensations of gloom and apprehension closed in on her again, and this time made her feel weak and fearful.

"I didn't want to. I hate moving around," she said, pushing her chair back from the table. Her voice was a little hoarse, and suddenly feeling the sting of tears under her eyelids, she raised her hands to her hat and began to fumble with her veil. "Why should I leave my comfortable flat to go trailing round in a lot of half-built hotels? That sort of thing doesn't appeal to me at all. I like my own cook, and my own bed, and my own bathtub. I'm more of an old maid than Hannah. Well, so long, people. I must be traveling."

She laid her napkin on the table and jumped up with an assumption of brisk liveliness. She paid no attention to the expostulations of her relatives, but going to the glass arranged her hat and put on her gloves. When she turned back to the table she had regained possession of herself. Her veil was down and through it her cheeks looked unusually flushed, and her dark eyes, with their slanting outer corners, brighter and harder than ever. She hurried through her good-byes on the flat, and she had shopping to do, and almost ran out of the house, leaving a trail of perfume and high, artificial laughter behind her.

For the next week she waited for news from Dominick and none came. It was a trying seven days. Added to her embarrassment of mind, the loneliness of the flat was almost un-

endurable. There was no one to speak to, no one to share her anxieties. Her position was unusually friendless. When her marriage had lifted her from the ranks of working women she had shown so cold a face to her old companions that they had dropped away from her, realizing that she wished to cut all ties with the world of her humble beginnings. New friends had been hard to make. The wives of some of the bank officials, and odd, aspiring applicants for such honors as would accrue from even this remote connection with the august name of Ryan, were all she had found where-with to make a circle and a visiting list.

But she was intimate with none of them and was now too worried to seek the society of mere acquaintances. She ate her solitary meals in oppressive silence, feeling the Chinaman's eyes fixed upon her in ironic disbelief of the story she had told him to account for Dominick's absence. Even as slowly as she would, her dinner could not be made to occupy more than twenty minutes, and after that there was the long evening, the interminable evening, to be passed. She was a great reader of newspapers, and when she returned from her afternoon shopping she brought a bundle of evening papers home in her hand. She would read these slowly, at first the important items, then go over them for matters of less moment, and finally scan the advertisements.

At the end of Dominick's absence, she must find out something and went to the bank. It was her intention to cash a small check and over this transaction see if the paying teller would vouchsafe any information about Dominick. She pushed the check through the opening and, as the man counted out the money, said glubly:

"Do you hear anything of my wandering husband?"

The teller pushed the little pile of silver and gold through the window toward her and leaning forward, said, with the air of one who intends to have a leisurely moment of talk:

"No, we haven't. Isn't it our place to come to you for that? We were wondering where he'd gone at such a season."

Berny's delicately-gloved fingers made sudden haste to gather up the coins.

"Oh, he's just looking about," she said as easily as was consistent with the disappointment and alarm that gripped her. "He's just wandering round from place to place. He was getting insomnia and wanted a change of scene."

She snapped the clasp of her purse before the man could ask her further questions, nodded her good-bys, and turned from the window. Her face changed as she entered on the wide, stone steps that led to the street. It was pinched and pale, two lines drawn between the eyebrows. She descended

ed the steps slowly, the flood of magnificent sunshine having no warming influence upon the chill that had seized upon her. Many of the passing throng of men looked at her—a pretty woman in her modestly-made dress of tin-colored cloth and her close-fitting brown turban with a bunch of white paradise feathers on one side. Under her dotted veil her naturally clear and rosy, and her eyes, accentuated by a dark line beneath them, were in attractive contrast to her reddened hair. But she was not thinking of herself or the admiration she evoked, a subject which was generally of overpowering interest. Matters of more poignant moment had crowded all else from her mind.

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